

## ***Make the difference***

– or –

### ***Plato's Cave***

*Written in many places, including Papallacta.  
Finished in Quito, Sept. 10, 2009.*

#### **Music**

*Can play it with capo. (on 3<sup>rd</sup>?)*

*Chorus:*

*We've been here be [G] fore  
And we've come here [D] since [A]  
Is this a new [G] day?  
Well that de [A] pends.*

*If [G] you [F#m in 224 figure] and [Em] I  
Make the differ [D] ence.  
[song ends with D D GG DD D]*

*Verse:*

*B G D A  
Bm G (with high A) D B (or add 4<sup>th</sup> string 4<sup>th</sup>  
fret to the D) A  
E G D(2-3-5) A(2-3-5) [E G Bm A]  
F# [B or G, voice way up high] A A*

*Solo:*

*Bm G D A  
Bm G A (1<sup>st</sup> string 333222)  
Em G D A  
Bm G A (1<sup>st</sup> string 333222)  
straight into bridge (doubles as verse 3)*

*Bridge:*

*Em G D A  
Em G Bm A [or Bm G D A]  
Em G D A  
F#m Bm A*

#### **Lyrics**

*Let me try to cast a light  
On what I'm trying to  
Accomplish with my life.  
There are no angels on our side.  
Just what we do with our short time.*

*We've been here before  
And we've come here since  
Is this a new day? Well that depends.  
If you and I make the difference.*

*We all live in Plato's Cave.  
And there is no justice  
Except that which we make.  
And it's a life's work just to change.  
And help ourselves reduce our pain.*

*We've been here before  
And we've come here since  
Is this a new day? Well that depends.  
If you and I make the difference.*

*There is no right in Plato's Cave.  
There is no justice but what we make.  
And if we rest there'll be no change  
Only illusion in refrain.*

*We've been here before  
And we've come here since  
Is this a new day? Well that depends.*

*We've been here before  
And we've come here since  
Is this a new day? Well that depends.  
If you and I make the difference.*