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## O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing

O, for a thousand tongues to sing  
my great Redeemer's praise!  
The glories of my God and King,  
the triumphs of his grace!

My gracious Master and my God,  
assist me to proclaim,  
to spread to all the earth abroad  
the honors of thy name.

Jesus! The name that charms our fears,  
that bids our sorrows cease.  
'Tis music in the sinner's ear;  
'tis life and health and peace.

He breaks the pow'er of canceled sin,  
he sets the pris'ner free;  
his blood can make the foulest clean;  
his blood availed for me.

Hear him, ye deaf, his praise, ye dumb  
your loosened tongues employ.  
Ye blind behold your Savior come,  
and leap, ye lame, for joy!

## A Brand New Thing

A brand new thing, a brand new thing,  
Can't you see it rising, a brand new thing.  
*(Repeat)*

A way through the desert,  
A stream in the wasteland,  
A cool-clean-drink,  
For all God's children.  
A brand new thing, a brand new thing.

A brand new thing, a brand new thing,  
Can't you feel it rising,  
A brand new thing,

Forget the past,  
All God's children,  
C'mon and feel it,  
Cause it's a brand new thing.

## Agnus Dei

Alleluia, alleluia!  
For our Lord God Almighty reigns.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
For our Lord God Almighty reigns.  
Alleluia!

Holy, holy, are you Lord God Almighty.  
Worthy is the Lamb,  
worthy is the Lamb.  
You are holy.

Holy are you Lord God Almighty  
Worthy is the Lamb,  
worthy is the Lamb.  
Amen.

## Hymn of Promise

In the bulb there is a flower;  
in the seed, an apple tree;  
in cocoons, a hidden promise:  
butterflies will soon be free!  
In the cold and snow of winter  
there's a spring that waits to be,  
unrevealed until its season,  
something God alone can see.

There's a song in every silence,  
seeking word and melody;  
there's a dawn in every darkness  
bringing hope to you and me.  
From the past will come the future;  
what it holds, a mystery,  
unrevealed until its season,  
something God alone can see.

In our end is our beginning;  
in our time, infinity;  
in our doubt there is believing;  
in our life, eternity.  
In our death, a resurrection;  
at the last, a victory,  
unrevealed until its season,  
something God alone can see.

## How Great Thou Art

1. O Lord, my God!  
When I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds  
thy hands have made,  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
thy power throughout  
the universe displayed.  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
How great thou art, how great thou art!  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
How great thou art, how great thou art!
2. When through the woods  
and forest glades I wander,  
and hear the birds sing sweetly  
in the trees;  
when I look down from lofty mountain  
grandeur  
and hear the brook,  
and feel the gentle breeze.  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
How great thou art, how great thou art!  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
how great thou art, how great thou art!
3. And when I think that God,  
his Son not sparing,  
sent him to die, I scarce can take it in;  
that on the cross,  
my burden gladly bearing,  
he bled and died to take away my sin.  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
How great thou art, how great thou art!  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
how great thou art, how great thou art!

4. When Christ shall come  
with shout of acclamation  
and take me home,  
what joy shall fill my heart.  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,  
and there proclaim, my God,  
how great thou art!  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
How great thou art, how great thou art!  
Then sings my soul,  
my Savior God to thee;  
how great thou art, how great thou art!

## Blessed Assurance

1. Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!  
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,  
born of his spirit, washed in his blood.
- Chorus:  
This is my story, this is my song,  
praising my Savior all the day long;  
this is my story, this is my song,  
praising my Savior all the day long.
2. Perfect submission, perfect delight,  
visions of rapture now burst on my sight;  
angels descending, bring from above  
echoes of mercy, whispers of love.  
*(Chorus)*
  3. Perfect submission, all is at rest,  
I in my Savior am happy and blest;  
watching and waiting, looking above,  
filled with his goodness, lost in his love.  
*(Chorus)*

## Jesus, Jesus

Jesus, Jesus,  
can I tell you how I feel?  
you have given me your Spirit;  
I love you so.

## Behold What Manner of Love

Behold what manner of love  
the Father has given unto us.  
Behold what manner of love  
the Father has given unto us,

1. that we should be called  
the daughters of God.  
That we should be called  
the daughters of God.
2. that we should be called  
the sons of God.  
That we should be called  
the sons of God.
3. that we should be called  
the children of God.  
That we should be called  
the children of God.

## Your Love, O Lord

Your love, O Lord,  
reaches to the heavens.  
Your faithfulness stretches to the sky.  
Your righteousness is like the mighty  
mountains.  
Your justice flows like the ocean's tide.  
I will lift my voice  
to worship you, my King.  
I will find my strength  
in the shadow of your wings.

## Bind Us Together, Lord

Bind us together Lord, bind us together  
with cords that cannot be broken.  
Bind us together Lord, bind us together;  
bind us together with love.

There is only one God.  
There is only one King.  
There is only one Body.  
That is why we sing.

## Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come, thou Fount of every blessing,  
tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,  
mount of thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer;  
hither by thy help I'm come;  
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,  
safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger,  
wandering from the fold of God;  
he, to rescue me from danger,  
interposed his precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor  
daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let thy goodness, like a fetter,  
bind my wandering heart to thee.  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,  
prone to leave the God I love;  
here's my heart, O take and seal it,  
seal it for thy courts above.

## Down to the River to Pray

As I went down to the river to pray,  
studyin' all about that good old way  
and who should wear the starry crown,  
Good Lord, show me the way.  
Oh, sisters, let's go down –  
let's go down, come on down!  
Oh, brothers, let's go down –  
down to the river to pray.

As I went down to the river to pray,  
studyin' all about that good old way  
and who should wear the starry crown,  
Good Lord, show me the way.  
Oh, Christians, let's go down –  
let's go down, come on down!  
Oh, sinners, let's go down –  
down to the river to pray.

## **Come to the Water**

Come to the water, the rock that flows;  
a living fountain for ev'ry soul.  
Taste and see, it's rich and sweet  
Come to the water and be made clean,  
leave all your burdens beside the stream.  
It bids us come, the broken and undone.

Oh, drink deep, drink deep and live.  
All we need we find in him.  
Life abundant, joy complete.  
Come to the water, come to the water,  
and live.

Come to the water and don't delay,  
watch all our sin now, be washed away.  
Oh, it makes us new,  
Oh how it makes us new.

Oh, drink deep, drink deep and live.  
All we need we find in him.  
Life abundant, joy complete.  
Come to the water, come to the water.

Even now the water's stirring,  
dive on in, dive on in.  
Even now the Spirit's moving,  
dive on in, dive on in.

Even now the water's stirring,  
come on in, come on in  
Even now the Spirit's moving,  
come on in, on in.

Oh, drink deep, drink deep and live.  
All we need we find in him.  
Life abundant, joy complete.  
Come to the water, come to the water,  
and live.

## **As the Deer**

As the deer pants for the water,  
so my soul longs after you.  
you alone are my heart's desire,  
and I long to worship you.  
you alone are my strength, my shield;  
to you alone may my spirit yield.  
you alone are my heart's desire  
and I long to worship you.

## **Come, Now is the Time to Worship**

Come, now is the time to worship.  
Come, now is the time to give your heart.  
Come, just as you are to worship.  
Come, just as you are before your God.  
Come.

One day every tongue will confess  
you are God.  
One day every knee will bow.  
Still the greatest treasure remains for those  
who gladly choose you now.

## **From the Rising of the Sun**

From the rising of the sun,  
To the going down of the same  
The name of the Lord  
Shall be Praised.

*(Repeat)*

So praise ye the Lord,  
Praise ye the Lord,  
From the rising of the sun,  
To the going down of the same,  
The name of the Lord  
Shall be praised.

## **Give Thanks**

Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
give thanks to the Holy One,  
give thanks because he's given  
Jesus Christ his Son.  
And now let the weak say,  
"I am strong";  
let the poor say "I am rich  
because of what the Lord has done  
for us."

## **Sing Alleluia to the Lord**

Sing alleluia to the Lord (echo)  
Sing alleluia to the Lord (echo)  
Sing alleluia, sing alleluia,  
Sing alleluia to the Lord.

## Heart of Worship

1. When the music fades  
all is stripped away  
and I simply come.  
Longing just to bring  
something that's of worth  
that will bless your heart.  
  
I'll bring you more than a song,  
for a song in itself  
is not what you have required.  
you search much deeper within  
through the way things appear –  
you're looking into my heart.

Chorus:

I'm coming back to the heart of worship  
And it's all about you, it's all about you,  
Jesus  
I'm sorry, Lord, for the thing I've made it  
when it's all about you, it's all about you,  
Jesus.

2. King of endless worth,  
no one could express  
how much you deserve.  
Though I'm weak and poor  
all I have is yours –  
every single breath!  
  
I'll bring you more than a song,  
for a song in itself  
is not what you have required.  
you search much deeper within  
through the way things appear –  
you're looking into my heart.  
*(Chorus)*

## Here I Am, Lord

1. I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin  
my hand will save  
  
I, who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them?  
Whom shall I send?

Chorus:

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.

2. I, the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them.  
They turn away.  
  
I will break their hearts of stone,  
give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my words to them.  
Whom shall I send?  
*(Chorus)*

3. I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will send the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them.  
My hand will save.  
  
Finest bread I will provide  
till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them.  
My hand will save.  
*(Chorus)*

## Servant Song

1. Brother, sister, let me serve you,  
let me be as Christ to you;  
pray that I may have the grace to  
let you be my servant, too.
2. We are pilgrims on a journey,  
we are brothers on the road;  
we are here to help each other  
walk the mile and bear the load.
3. I will hold the Christ-light for you  
in the night-time of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you,  
speak the peace you long to hear.
4. I will weep when you are weeping;  
when you laugh I'll laugh with you.  
I will share your joy and sorrow  
'til we've seen this journey through.

## It Is Well With My Soul

1. When peace, like a river,  
attendeth my way,  
when sorrows like sea billows roll;  
whatever my lot,  
thou hast taught me to say,  
It is well, it is well with my soul.

Chorus:

It is well (it is well)  
with my soul (with my soul)  
it is well, it is well with my soul.

2. Though Satan should buffet,  
though trials should come,  
let this blest assurance control,  
that Christ has regarded  
my helpless estate,  
and hath shed his own blood for my soul.  
*(Chorus)*

3. My sin, oh, the bliss  
of this glorious thought!  
My sin, not in part, but in whole,  
is nailed to the cross,  
and I bear it no more,  
praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
O my soul!  
*(Chorus)*

4. And, Lord, haste the day when  
my faith shall be sight,  
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll;  
the trump shall resound,  
and the Lord shall descend,  
even so, it is well with my soul.  
*(Chorus)*

## How Great is Our God

1. The splendor of a King,  
clothed in majesty  
let all the Earth rejoice,  
all the Earth rejoice.  
he wraps himself in light,  
and darkness tries to hide  
and trembles at his voice,  
trembles at his voice.

Chorus:

How great is our God, sing with me  
how great is our God, and all will see  
how great, how great is our God.

2. Age to age he stands,  
and time is in his hands  
beginning and the end,  
beginning and the end.  
the Godhead Three in One,  
Father, Spirit, Son  
the Lion and the Lamb,  
the Lion and the Lamb.  
*(Chorus)*

Bridge:

Name above all names,  
worthy of our praise,  
my heart will sing how great is our God.  
you're the name above all names  
you are worthy of our praise  
my heart will sing how great is our God  
*(Chorus 2X)*

## My Holy Shepherd

1. My holy shepherd, he watches over me.  
he watches over me, every day.  
My holy shepherd, he watches over me.  
he watches over me, every day.
2. My holy shepherd,  
he's worthy to be praised...
3. My holy shepherd,  
he always understands...
4. My holy shepherd,  
he hears my every prayer...

## I Am Redeemed

1. Seems like all I could see was the  
struggle  
haunted by ghosts that lived in my past  
bound up in shackles of all my failures  
wondering how long is this gonna last  
then you look at this prisoner  
and say to me "son  
stop fighting a fight that's  
already been won"

Chorus:

I am redeemed, you set me free  
so I'll shake off these heavy chains  
wipe away every stain,  
now I'm not who I used to be  
I am redeemed

2. All my life I have been called unworthy,  
named by the voice of my shame  
and regret,  
but when I hear you whisper,  
"Child lift up your head,"  
I remember oh God,  
you're not done with me yet.

Bridge:

I am redeemed, you set me free  
so I'll shake off these heavy chains  
wipe away every stain,  
now I'm not who I used to be  
I am redeemed.

Because I don't have to be the old man  
inside of me  
cause his day is long dead and gone.  
Because I've got a new name,  
a new life – I'm not the same –  
and a hope that will carry me home  
(Chorus 2x)

### **I Have Decided to Follow Jesus**

1. I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus.  
No turning back, no turning back.
2. The world behind me,  
the cross before me, ...
3. Tho' none go with me,  
still I will follow, ...
4. Where Jesus leads me,  
I'll surely follow, ...

### **They'll Know We Are Christians**

1. We are one in the Spirit,  
we are one in the Lord.  
We are one in the Spirit,  
we are one in the Lord.  
And we pray that all unity  
may one day be restored.

Chorus:

And they'll know we are Christians  
by our love, by our love,  
Yes they'll know we are Christians  
by our love.

2. We will walk with each other,  
we will walk hand in hand.  
We will walk with each other,  
we will walk hand in hand.  
And together we'll spread the news  
that God is in our land.  
(Chorus)
3. We will work with each other,  
we will work side by side.  
We will work with each other,  
we will work side by side.  
And we'll guard each one's dignity  
and save each one's pride.  
(Chorus)
4. All praise to the Father,  
from whom all things come,  
and all praise to Christ Jesus,  
his only Son,  
and all praise to the Spirit,  
who makes us one.  
(Chorus)

### **Spirit Song**

1. Oh let the Son of God enfold you  
with his Spirit and his love.  
Let Him fill your heart  
and satisfy your soul.  
Oh let Him have those things  
that hold you  
and his Spirit like a dove  
will descend upon your life  
and make you whole.

Chorus:

Jesus, oh Jesus,  
come and fill your lambs.  
Jesus, oh Jesus,  
come and fill your lambs

2. Oh come and sing the song of gladness  
as your hearts are filled with joy,  
lift your hands in sweet surrender  
to his name.  
Oh give Him all your tears and sadness,  
give Him all your years of pain,  
and you'll enter into life in Jesus' name.

### **I'll Fly Away**

1. Some glad morning when this life is o'er,  
I'll fly away.  
To a home on God's celestial shore,  
I'll fly away.

Chorus:

I'll fly away, old Glory, I'll fly away.  
When I die, hallelujah, by and by,  
I'll fly away.

2. When the shadows  
of this life have grown,  
I'll fly away.  
Like a bird from prison bars has flown,  
I'll fly away.  
*(Chorus)*
3. Just a few more weary days and then,  
I'll fly away.  
To a land where joys shall never end,  
I'll fly away.  
*(Chorus)*

### **Isaiah 43**

1. When you pass through the waters,  
I will be with you,  
and the waves will not overcome you.  
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you,  
I have called you by name,  
you are mine.

Chorus:

For I am the Lord your God  
(I am the Lord your God),  
I am the Lord your God (I am)  
the Holy One of Israel  
your Savior.

For I am the Lord your God  
(I am the Lord your God),  
I am the Lord your God (I am)  
The Holy One of Israel  
your Savior

I am the Lord (do not fear).  
I am the Lord (do not fear).  
I am the Lord (do not fear).  
I am the Lord (do not fear).

2. When you walk through the fire  
you will not be burned,  
and the flames will not consume you.  
Do not fear,  
for I have redeemed you,  
I have called you by name, you are mine.  
*(Chorus)*

### **Jesus Calls Us**

Jesus calls us o'er the tumult  
of our life's wild, restless sea;  
day by day his sweet voice soundeth,  
saying, "Christian, follow me!"

As of old the apostles heard it  
by the Galilean lake,  
turned from home and toil and kindred,  
leaving all for Jesus' sake.

Jesus calls us from the worship  
of the vain world's golden store,  
from each idol that would keep us,  
saying, "Christian, love me more!"

In our joys and in our sorrows,  
days of toil and hours of ease,  
still he calls, in cares and pleasures,  
"Christian, love me more than these!"

Jesus calls us! By thy mercies,  
Savior, may we hear thy call,  
give our hearts to thine obedience,  
serve and love thee best of all.

## Ten Thousand Reasons

Chorus:

Bless the Lord O my soul,  
O my soul,  
worship his holy name.  
Sing like never before,  
O my soul,  
I'll worship your holy name.

The sun comes up  
it's a new day dawning;  
it's time to sing your song again.  
Whatever may pass  
and whatever lies before me:  
let me be singing  
when the evening comes.

*(Chorus)*

You're rich in love  
and you're slow to anger,  
your name is great,  
and your heart is kind.  
For all your goodness  
I will keep on singing:  
ten thousand reasons  
for my heart to find.

*(Chorus)*

And on that day  
when my strength is failing,  
the end draws near  
and my time has come;  
still my soul will  
sing your praise unending:  
ten thousand years  
and then forevermore

*(Chorus)*

## Let the River Flow

Let the poor man say "I am rich in Him."  
Let the lost man say "I am found in Him."  
Woah, let the river flow.  
Let the blind man say "I can see again."  
Let the dead man say "I am born again."  
Woah, let the river flow.  
Woah, let the river flow.

Let the river flow,  
let the river flow.  
Holy Spirit, come,  
move in power.  
Let the river flow.

Let the poor man say, "I am rich in Him."  
Let the lost man say,  
"I am found in Him."

Woah, let the river flow.  
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Let the dead man say "I am born again."  
Woah, let the river flow.  
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Let the river flow,  
let the river flow.  
Holy Spirit, come,  
move in power.  
Let the river flow.

## Lord, you have Come to the Lakeshore

1. Lord, you have come to the lakeshore  
looking neither for wealthy nor wise ones  
you only asked me to follow humbly

Chorus:

O Lord, with your eyes you have  
searched me  
and while smiling have spoken my name  
now my boat's left on the shoreline  
behind me  
by your side I will seek other seas

2. You know so well my possessions  
my boat carries no gold and no weapons  
you will find there, my nets and my labor  
*(Chorus)*
3. You need my hands full of caring  
through my labors to give others rest  
and constant love that keeps on loving  
*(Chorus)*
4. You, who have fished other oceans  
ever longed for by souls who are waiting  
my loving friend, as thus you call me  
*(Chorus)*

## Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)

1. You call me out upon the waters,  
the great unknown where feet may fail,  
and there I find you in the mystery  
in oceans deep  
my faith will stand.

Chorus:

And I will call upon your name,  
and keep my eyes above the waves.  
When oceans rise,  
my soul will rest in your embrace  
for I am yours and you are mine.

2. Your grace abounds in deepest waters,  
your sovereign hand will be my guide.  
Where feet may fail  
and fear surrounds me  
you've never failed  
and you won't start now.

*(Chorus)*

Bridge:

Spirit lead me where my trust  
is without borders.  
Let me walk upon the waters  
wherever you would call me.  
Take me deeper than my feet  
could ever wander  
and my faith will be made stronger  
in the presence of my Savior.

*(Repeat)*

*(Chorus)*

## Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated

(Shorter verses)

Take my life, and let it be  
consecrated, Lord, to thee.

Take my moments and my days;  
let them flow in ceaseless praise,  
let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands, and let them move  
at the impulse of thy love;  
take my feet, and let them be  
swift and beautiful for thee;  
swift and beautiful for thee.

Take my voice, and let me sing  
always, only, for my King.

Take my lips, and let them be  
filled with messages from thee;  
filled with messages from thee.

Take my silver and my gold;  
not a mite would I withhold.

Take my intellect, and use  
every pow'r as thou shalt choose;  
every pow'r as thou shalt choose.

Take my will, and make it thine;  
it shall be no longer mine.

Take my heart, it is thine own;  
it shall be thy royal throne,  
it shall be thy royal throne.

Take my love, my Lord, I pour  
at thy feet its treasure store.

Take myself, and I will be  
ever, only, all for Thee;  
ever, only, all for Thee.

## Amazing Grace

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound  
that saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now I'm found;  
was blind, but now I see.

T'was grace that taught my heart to fear,  
and grace my fears relieved;  
how precious did that grace appear  
the hour I first believed.

The Lord has promised good to me,  
his work my hope secures;  
he will my shield and portion be,  
as long as life endures.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,  
I have already come;  
'tis grace that brought me safe thus far,  
and grace will lead me home.

When we've been there  
ten thousand years,  
bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
than when we'd first begun.

## Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated

(Longer verses)

Take my life, and let it be  
consecrated, Lord, to thee.  
Take my moments and my days;  
let them flow in ceaseless praise.  
Take my hands, and let them move  
at the impulse of thy love;  
take my feet, and let them be  
swift and beautiful for thee.

Take my voice, and let me sing  
always, only, for my King.  
Take my lips, and let them be  
filled with messages from thee.  
Take my silver and my gold;  
not a mite would I withhold.  
Take my intellect, and use  
every pow'r as thou shalt choose.

Take my will, and make it thine;  
it shall be no longer mine.  
Take my heart, it is thine own;  
it shall be thy royal throne.  
Take my love, my Lord, I pour  
at thy feet its treasure store.  
Take myself, and I will be  
ever, only, all for Thee.

## This Is My Father's World

This is my Father's world,  
And to my listening ears  
All nature sings, and round me rings  
The music of the spheres.  
This is my Father's world:  
I rest me in the thought  
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas;  
his hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world:  
The birds their carols raise,  
The morning light, the lily white,  
Declare their maker's praise.  
This is my Father's world:  
he shines in all that's fair;  
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass,  
he speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Father's world:  
O let me ne'er forget  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong,  
God is the Ruler yet.  
This is my Father's world:  
Why should my heart be sad?  
The Lord is King: let the heavens ring!  
God reigns; let earth be glad!

## Shout to the North

1. Men of faith, rise up and sing  
of the great and glorious King.  
you are strong when you feel weak,  
in your brokenness, complete.

Chorus:  
Shout to the north and the south.  
Sing to the east and the west.  
Jesus is Saviour to all,  
Lord of heaven and earth.

2. Rise up women of the truth  
Stand and sing to broken hearts  
Who can know the healing power  
Of our glorious King of love?

Bridge:  
We've been through fire,  
we've been through rain.  
We've been refined  
by the pow'r of his name.  
We've fallen deeper in love with you.  
you've burned the truth on our lips.

3. Rise up church with broken wings;  
fill this place with songs again  
of our God who reigns on high.  
by his grace again we'll fly.  
(Chorus)

## Sanctuary

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary  
pure and holy, tried and true.  
With thanksgiving I'll be a living  
sanctuary for you.

## Seek Ye First

Seek ye first the kingdom of God  
and his righteousness  
and all these things  
shall be added unto you.

Allelu – alleluia!

Ask and it shall be given unto you  
Seek and ye shall find  
Knock and the door  
shall be opened unto you  
Allelu – alleluia!

## Shall We Gather at the River

1. Shall we gather at the river,  
where bright angel feet have trod,  
with its crystal tide forever  
flowing by the throne of God?

Chorus:

Yes, we'll gather at the river,  
the beautiful, the beautiful river;  
gather with the saints at the river  
that flows by the throne of God.

2. On the margin of the river,  
washing up its silver spray,  
we will walk and worship ever,  
all the happy golden day.  
*(Chorus)*
3. Ere we reach the shining river,  
lay we every burden down;  
grace our spirits will deliver,  
and provide a robe and crown.  
*(Chorus)*
4. Soon we'll reach the shining river,  
soon our pilgrimage will cease;  
soon our happy hearts will quiver  
with the melody of peace.  
*(Chorus)*

## When We All Get to Heaven

1. Sing the wondrous love of Jesus;  
sing his mercy and his grace.  
In the mansions bright and blessed  
he'll prepare for us a place.

Chorus:

When we all get to heaven,  
what a day of rejoicing that will be!  
When we all see Jesus,  
we'll sing and shout the victory!

2. While we walk the pilgrim pathway,  
clouds will overspread the sky;  
but when traveling days are over,  
not a shadow, not a sigh.  
*(Chorus)*
3. Led us then be true and faithful,  
trusting, serving every day;  
just one glimpse of him in glory  
will the toils of life repay.  
*(Chorus)*
4. Onward to the prize before us!  
Soon his beauty we'll behold;  
soon the pearly gates will open;  
we shall tread the streets of gold.  
*(Chorus)*

## Victory in Jesus

1. I heard an old, old story,  
how a Savior came from glory,  
how he gave his life on Calvary  
to save a wretch like me;  
I heard about his groaning,  
of his precious blood's atoning,  
then I repented of my sins  
and won the victory.

Chorus:

O victory in Jesus, my savior forever.  
he sought me and bought me  
with his redeeming blood;  
he loved me ere I knew him,  
and all my love is due him;  
he plunged me to victory  
beneath the cleansing flood.

2. I heard about his healing,  
of his cleansing power revealing,  
how he made the lame to walk again  
and caused the blind to see;  
and then I cried, "Dear Jesus,  
come and heal my broken spirit,"  
and somehow Jesus came and brought  
to me the victory.

*(Chorus)*

3. I heard about a mansion  
he has built for me in glory,  
and I heard about the streets of gold  
beyond the crystal sea;  
about the angels singing  
and the old redemption story,  
and some sweet day I'll sing up there  
the song of victory.

*(Chorus)*

### **Beautiful Things**

All this pain.  
I wonder if I'll ever find my way  
I wonder if my life could really change,  
at all?  
All this earth  
could all that is lost ever be found?  
Could a garden come out from this ground,  
at all?

You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of the dust.  
You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of us.

All around,  
hope is springing up from this old ground,  
out of chaos life is being found, in you.

You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of the dust.  
You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of us.

Oh, you make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of the dust.  
You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of us.

You make me new,  
you are making me new.  
You make me new,  
you are making me new.  
(Making me new)

You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of the dust.  
You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of us.

Oh, you make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of the dust.  
You make beautiful things.  
You make beautiful things out of us.

You make me new,  
You are making me new.  
You make me new,  
You are making me new.

### **When the Storms of Life are Raging**

When the storms of life are raging,  
stand by me (stand by me);  
when the storms of life are raging,  
stand by me (stand by me);  
when the world is tossing me  
like a ship upon the sea,  
thou who rulest wind and water,  
stand by me (stand by me).

In the midst of tribulation,  
stand by me (stand by me).  
In the midst of tribulation,  
stand by me (stand by me).  
When the hosts of hell assail,  
and my strength begins to fail,  
thou who never lost a battle,  
stand by me (stand by me).

In the midst of faults and failures,  
stand by me (stand by me).  
In the midst of faults and failures,  
stand by me (stand by me).  
When I do the best I can,  
and my friends misunderstand,  
thou who knowest all about me,  
stand by me (stand by me).

## No Longer Slaves

1. You unravel me with a melody  
you surround me with a song  
of deliverance from my enemies  
'til all my fears are gone.

Chorus:

I'm no longer a slave to fear  
I am a child of God  
I'm no longer a slave to fear  
I am a child of God

2. From my mother's womb  
you have chosen me  
Love has called my name  
I've been born again to my family  
your blood flows through my veins  
*(Chorus 2x)*

Bridge:

You split the sea  
So I could walk right through it  
My fears are drowned in perfect love  
you rescued me  
And I will stand and sing  
I am a child of God, yes I am;  
I am a child of God.  
*(repeat bridge)*  
*(chorus)*

## Love Lifted Me

1. I was sinking deep in sin,  
far from the peaceful shore;  
very deeply stained within,  
sinking to rise no more;  
But the master of the sea,  
heard my despairing cry,  
from the waters lifted me,  
now safe am I!

Chorus:

Love lifted me! (even me!)  
Love lifted me! (even me!)  
When nothing else could help,  
love lifted me!  
*(repeat)*

2. All my heart to him I give,  
ever to him I'll cling;  
in his blessed presence live,  
ever his praises sing.  
Love so mighty and so true  
merits my soul's best songs;  
faithful loving service, too,  
to him belongs.  
*(Chorus)*

3. Souls in danger, look above,  
Jesus completely saves;  
he will lift you by his love,  
out of the angry waves.  
he's the master of the sea  
billows his will obey;  
he your Savior wants to be,  
Be saved today.  
*(Chorus)*

## All in All

You are my strength when I am weak,  
you are my treasure that I seek;  
you are my all in all.

Seeking you as a precious jewel,  
Lord, to give up I'd be a fool;  
you are my all in all.

Jesus, Lamb of God,  
worthy is your name.  
Jesus, Lamb of God,  
worthy is your name.

Taking my sin, my cross, my shame,  
rising again, I bless your name;  
you are my all in all.

When I fall down, you pick me up,  
when I am dry you fill my cup;  
you are my all in all.

Jesus, Lamb of God,  
worthy is your name.  
Jesus, Lamb of God,  
worthy is your name.

## Our Great God

1. Eternal God, unchanging,  
mysterious and unknown;  
your boundless love, unfailing,  
in grace and mercy shown.  
Bright seraphim in ceaseless flight  
around your glorious throne;  
they raise their voices day and night  
in praise to you alone!  
  
Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!  
Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!
2. Lord, we are weak and frail,  
and are helpless in the storm;  
surround us with your angels  
and hold us in your arms.  
Our cold and ruthless enemy,  
his pleasure is our harm.  
Rise up, O Lord, and he will flee  
before our sovereign God.  
  
Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!  
Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!
3. Let every creature in the sea  
and every flying bird,  
let every mountain, every field,  
and valley of the earth,  
let all the moons and all the stars  
in all the universe  
sing praises to the living God  
who rules them by his word.  
  
Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!  
Hallelujah! Glory be to our great God!

## Holy Spirit

There's nothing worth more  
that could ever come close,  
no thing can compare  
you're our living hope.  
Your presence, Lord.

I've tasted and seen  
of the sweetest of loves  
where my heart becomes free  
and my shame is undone.  
Your presence, Lord.

Holy Spirit, you are welcome here.  
Come flood this place  
and fill the atmosphere.

Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for  
to be overcome by your presence, Lord.  
Your presence, Lord.

*(Repeat from beginning)*

Let us become more aware of your presence.  
Let us experience the glory  
of your goodness.

Holy Spirit, you are welcome here.  
Come flood this place  
and fill the atmosphere.

Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for  
to be overcome by your presence, Lord.  
Your presence, Lord.

## Shout to the Lord

My Jesus, my Savior,  
Lord, there is none like you.  
All of my days, I want to praise  
the wonders of your mighty love.  
My comfort, my shelter,  
tower of refuge and strength.  
Let every breath, and all that I am,  
never cease to worship you.

Shout to the Lord all the earth, let us sing,  
power and majesty, praise to the King,  
mountains bow down and the seas will roar,  
at the sound of your name.

I sing for joy at the work of Your hands,  
forever I'll love you, forever I'll stand,  
nothing compares to the promise I have  
in You.

## Revelation Song

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
holy, holy is he.  
Sing a new song to him who sits on  
heaven's mercy seat.

*(Repeat)*

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty,  
who was and is and is to come.  
With all creation I sing  
    praise to the King of kings.  
You are my everything and I will adore you.

Clothed in rainbows of living color,  
flashes of lighting, rolls of thunder.  
Blessing and honor, strength and glory  
    and power be  
to you the only one wise King.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty,  
who was and is and is to come.  
With all creation I sing  
    praise to the King of kings.  
You are my everything and I will adore you.

Filled with wonder – awestruck wonder –  
at the mention of your name.  
Jesus, your name is power,  
    breath, and living water.

Such a marvelous mystery.  
Oh, you're worthy, Mystery.  
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty,  
who was and is and is to come.  
With all creation I sing  
    praise to the King of kings.  
You are my everything and I will adore you.

## We Cry Holy

We fall down, we lay our crowns  
at the feet of Jesus;  
the greatness of mercy and love  
at the feet of Jesus.

And we cry, "Holy, holy, holy!"  
And we cry, "Holy, holy, holy!"  
And we cry, "Holy, holy, holy!"  
Is the Lamb

## Here I Am to Worship

1. Light of the world,  
you stepped down into darkness,  
opened my eyes, let me see.  
Beauty that made this heart adore you,  
hope of a life spent with you.

Chorus:

Here I am to worship,  
here I am to bow down,  
here I am to say that you're my God.  
You're altogether lovely,  
altogether worthy,  
altogether wonderful to me.

2. King of all days,  
oh so highly exalted,  
glorious in heaven above.  
Humbly you came to the earth  
    you created;  
all for love's sake became poor.  
*(Chorus)*

Well, I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sin upon that cross  
*(Repeat)*

I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

Over the mountains and the sea  
your river runs with love for me  
and I will open up my heart  
and let the healer set me free.  
I'm happy to be in the truth  
and I will daily lift my hands  
for I will always sing of when  
your love came down.

Chorus:

I could sing of your love forever,  
I could sing of Your love forever,  
(repeat)

Bridge:

Oh, I feel like dancin'  
and its foolishness, I know.  
but, when the world has seen the light  
they will dance with joy  
like we're dancin' now      *(Chorus)*

## Good, Good Father

Oh I've heard a thousand stories  
of what they think you're like,  
but I've heard the tender whispers of love  
in the dead of night,  
and you tell me that you're pleased  
and that I'm never alone.

You're a good, good Father –  
it's who you are, it's who you are,  
it's who you are.

And I'm loved by you –  
It's who I am, it's who I am,  
it's who I am.

I've seen many searching for answers  
far and wide  
but I know we're all searching  
for answers only you provide.  
'Cause you know just what we need  
before we say a word.

You're a good, good Father –  
it's who you are, it's who you are,  
it's who you are.

And I'm loved by you –  
It's who I am, it's who I am,  
it's who I am.

Because you are perfect in all of your ways,  
you are perfect in all of your ways,  
you are perfect in all of your ways to us.  
*(Repeat)*

Oh, it's love so undeniable  
I, I can hardly speak.  
Peace so unexplainable  
I, I can hardly think.  
As you call me deeper still,  
as you call me deeper still,  
as you call me deeper still  
into love, love, love.

You're a good, good Father –  
it's who you are, it's who you are,  
it's who you are.  
And I'm loved by you –  
It's who I am, it's who I am,  
it's who I am.

Because you are perfect in all of your ways,  
you are perfect in all of your ways,  
you are perfect in all of your ways to us.  
*(Repeat)*

## My Lighthouse

In my wrestling and in my doubts,  
in my failures you won't walk out.  
Your great love will lead me through.  
You are the peace in my troubled sea,  
you are the peace in my troubled sea.

In the silence you won't let go,  
In the questions your truth will hold.  
Your great love will lead me through.  
You are the peace in my troubled sea,  
you are the peace in my troubled sea.

Chorus:

My lighthouse, my lighthouse,  
shining in the darkness, I will follow you.  
My lighthouse, my lighthouse,  
I will trust the promise  
you will carry me safe to shore,  
(oh-oh-oh-oh-oh)  
safe to shore, (oh-oh-oh-oh-oh)  
safe to shore, (oh-oh-oh-oh-oh)  
safe to shore.

I won't fear what tomorrow brings.  
With each morning I'll rise and sing.  
My God's love will lead me through  
You are the peace in my troubled sea,  
you are the peace in my troubled sea.  
*(Chorus)*

Bridge:

Fire before us, you're the brightest  
you will lead us through the storms.  
*(repeat 3x)*

You will lead us through the storms  
*(Chorus)*

## **Your Grace is Enough**

Great is your faithfulness O God of Jacob,  
you wrestle with the sinner's restless heart;  
you lead us by still waters into mercy  
when nothing can keep us apart.

So remember your people,  
remember your children,  
remember your promise, oh God.

Chorus:

For your grace is enough,  
yeah your grace is enough,  
yeah your grace is enough,  
yeah your grace is enough for me.

Great is your love and justice God of Jacob,  
you use the weak to lead the strong.  
You lead us in the song of heaven's victory  
and all your people sing along.

*(Chorus)*

## **Alleluia, He is Coming**

1. I looked up and I saw my Lord a-coming.  
I looked up and I saw my Lord a-coming  
down the road.

Chorus:

Alleluia, he is coming.  
Alleluia, he is here.  
Alleluia, he is coming.  
Alleluia, he is here.

2. I looked up and I saw my Lord a-weeping.  
I looked up and I saw my Lord a-weeping  
for my sins.

*(Chorus)*

3. I looked up and I saw my Lord a-dying.  
I looked up and I saw my Lord a-dying  
on the cross.

*(Chorus)*

4. I looked up and I saw my Lord a-rising.  
I looked up and I saw my Lord a-rising  
from the grave.

*(Chorus)*

# Other Acts of Worship

## A Covenant Prayer in the Wesleyan Tradition

I am no longer my own, but thine.  
Put me to what thou wilt,  
rank me with whom thou wilt.  
Put me to doing, put me to suffering.  
Let me be employed by thee  
or laid aside for thee,  
exalted for thee or brought low for thee.  
Let me be full, let me be empty.  
Let me have all things, let me have nothing.  
I freely and heartily yield all things  
to thy pleasure and disposal.  
And now, O Glorious and blessed God,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
thou art mine, and I am thine. So be it.  
And the covenant which I have made  
on earth,  
let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

## A Prayer of Confession and Pardon

Christ our Lord invites to his table  
all who love him,  
who earnestly repent of their sin,  
and who seek to live at peace  
with one another.  
Therefore, let us confess our sins before God  
and one another.

**Merciful God,**  
**we confess that we have not loved you**  
**with our whole heart.**  
**We have failed to be an obedient church.**  
**We have not done your will,**  
**we have broken your law,**  
**we have rebelled against your love,**  
**we have not loved our neighbors,**  
**and we have not heard the cry**  
**of the needy.**  
**Forgive us, we pray.**  
**Free us for joyful obedience,**  
**through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## A Service of Holy Communion

### 1. THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*The pastor gives thanks appropriate to the occasion, remembering God's acts of salvation, and concludes:*

And so, with your people on earth  
and all the company of heaven  
we praise your name  
and join in their unending hymn:

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,**  
**God of power and might;**  
**heaven and earth are full of your glory.**  
**Hosanna in the highest.**  
**Blessed is he who comes**  
**in the name of the Lord.**  
**Hosanna in the highest!**

*The pastor continues the thanksgiving. The institution of the Lord's Supper is recalled. The pastor concludes:*

And so, in remembrance of these  
your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,  
we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving  
as a holy and living sacrifice,  
in union with Christ's offering for us,  
as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died; Christ is risen;**  
**Christ will come again.**

*The pastor invokes the present work of the Holy Spirit and then praises the Trinity, concluding:*

All honor and glory is yours, Almighty  
Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## 2. THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name. your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.**

## 3. BREAKING THE BREAD

*The pastor breaks bread in silence, or while saying:*

Because there is one loaf,  
we, who are many, are one body,  
for we all partake of the one loaf.  
The bread which we break is a sharing  
in the Body of Christ.

*The pastor lifts the cup in silence, or while saying:*

The cup over which we give thanks  
is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

The Gifts of God for the People of God.  
**Amen.**

## 4. GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

*The bread and wine are given to the people, with these or other words being exchanged:*

The body of Christ, broken for you. **Amen.**

The blood of Christ, shed for you. **Amen.**

*The congregation may sing hymns while the bread and cup are given.*

*Christ welcomes all people to his table, regardless of age, church affiliation, background, or baptismal status.*

*You will be served the bread first; next, the server with the cup will come and you may dip the corner of your bread in the juice and then receive. If you do not wish to dip your bread in the juice, you may either take the bread alone, or else touch the bread to the rim of the cup. If you need a new piece of bread we will give you a new one, but please, no double dipping! After the blessing you may return to your seat by the outer aisle.*

*If you are unable to come forward but do wish to receive, please let us know so that we can bring the bread and cup to you.*

*If you do not wish to receive the bread or cup, you may choose to come forward for a blessing only. If so, cross your arms on your chest to let the pastor know. Parents, if you would prefer that your small children do not receive, let the pastor know and he will give them a blessing as well.*

*Out of respect for recovering alcoholics and for those who choose not to use alcohol, we use only unfermented grape juice in Communion.*

*After all have received the altar is put in order.*

*The following prayer is then offered by the pastor or by all:*

**Eternal God,  
we give you thanks for this holy mystery  
in which you have given yourself to us.  
Grant that we may go into the world  
in the strength of your Spirit,  
to give ourselves for others,  
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**