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# Walking in Truth

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**Hymn Booklet**



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## 4 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

1. Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heav'n, to earth come down!  
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling, All thy faithful mercies crown.  
Jesus, Thou art all compassion, Pure unbounded love Thou art;  
Visit us with Thy salvation, Enter ev'ry trembling heart.

2. Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit Into ev'ry troubled breast!  
Let us all in Thee inherit, Let us find that second rest;  
Take away our bent to sinning; Alpha and Omega be;  
End of faith, as its Beginning, Set our hearts at liberty.

3. Come, Almighty to deliver, Let us all Thy grace receive!  
Suddenly return, and never, Never more Thy temples leave;  
Thee we would be always blessing, Serve Thee as Thy hosts above,  
Pray, and praise Thee without ceasing, Glory in Thy perfect love.

4. Finish, then, Thy new creation, Pure and spotless let us be;  
Let us see Thy great salvation Perfectly restored in Thee!  
Changed from glory into glory, Till in heaven we take our place;  
Till we cast our crowns before Thee, Lost in wonder, love and praise.

# **14 Send Out Thy Light and Thy Truth**

1. Send out Thy light and Thy truth, let them lead me;  
O let them bring me to Thy holy hill.  
Send out Thy light and Thy truth, let them lead me;  
O let them bring me to Thy holy hill.  
O let them lead me, O let them lead me,  
O let them bring me to Thy holy hill.

2. Lead me, O Lord, in the way everlasting;  
O lead and guide me to Thy holy hill.  
Lead me, O Lord, in the way everlasting;  
O lead and guide me to Thy holy hill.  
O do Thou lead me,  
O do Thou guide me,  
O lead and guide me to Thy holy hill.

# 36 High In The Heavens, Eternal God

1. High in the heavens, eternal God,  
Thy goodness in full glory shines;  
Thy truth shall break through every cloud  
That veils and darkens Thy designs.

2. Forever firm Thy justice stands,  
As mountains their foundations keep;  
Wise are the wonders of Thy hands;  
Thy judgments are a mighty deep.

3. My God, how excellent thy grace,  
Whence all our hope and comfort spring!  
The sons of Adam in distress  
Fly to the shadow of Thy wing.

4. Life, like a fountain, rich and free,  
Springs from the presence of my Lord;  
And in thy light our souls shall see  
The glories promised in thy word. Amen.

## 39 Thee Will I Love

1. Thee will I love, my strength, my tow'r,  
Thee I adore my joy, my crown,  
Thee will I love with all my pow'r,  
I love Thy name, and Thine alone;  
Thee will I love, till Holy Ghost fire  
Fill all my soul with pure desire.

2. In darkness foolishly I strayed,  
I sought Thee, yet from Thee I roved,  
Too long my selfish thoughts obeyed  
The creature more than Thee I loved;  
But now Thy truth at last I see,  
'Tis by Thy light it leadeth me.

3. I thank Thee, O Thou Righteous Sun,  
For Thy bright beams on me have shined;  
Thou hast the Tempter overthrown  
My woes, removed and healed my mind;  
I thank Thee for Thy quick'ning voice  
Bids my poor heart in Thee rejoice.

4. Thee will I love, my joy, my crown;  
Thee I adore my Lord, my God;  
Thee will I love beneath Thy frown  
I see Thy smile Thy shepherd's rod;  
Let good and kindred pass away;  
With Thee I'll dwell in endless day!

## **46 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God**

1. A mighty fortress is our God, A bulwark never failing;  
Our helper He amid the flood Of mortal ills prevailing.  
For still our ancient foe Doth seek to work us woe-  
His craft and pow'r are great, And, armed with cruel hate,  
On earth is not his equal.

2. Did we in our own strength confide Our striving would be losing,  
Were not the right Man on our side, The Man of God's own choosing.  
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He-  
Lord Sabaoth His name, From age to age the same-  
And He must win the battle.

3. And tho' this world, with devils filled, Should threaten to undo us,  
We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph thru us.  
The Prince of Darkness grim- We tremble not for him;  
His rage we can endure, For lo! His doom is sure-  
One little word shall fell him.

4. That word above all earthly pow'rs- No thanks to them abideth;  
The Spirit and the gifts are ours Thru Him who with us sideth.  
Let goods and kindred go, This mortal life also;  
The body they may kill: God's truth abideth still-  
His kingdom is forever.

# 49 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 pow'r throughout the universe displayed!

*Refrain:*

*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 thru 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,

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!

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!

# 75 Come, Christians, Join To Sing

1. Come, Christians, join to sing - Alleluia! Amen!  
Loud praise to Christ our King - Alleluia! Amen!  
Let all, with heart and voice, Before His throne rejoice;  
Praise is His gracious choice: Alleluia! Amen!

2. Come, lift your hearts on high - Alleluia! Amen!  
Let praises fill the sky - Alleluia! Amen!  
He is our Guide and Friend, To us He'll condescend;  
His love shall never end: Alleluia! Amen!

3. Praise yet our Christ again - Alleluia! Amen!  
Life shall not end the strain - Alleluia! Amen!  
On heaven's blissful shore His goodness we'll adore,  
Singing forevermore, "Alleluia! Amen!"

# 77 Saviour, Again To Thy Dying Name

1. Savior, again to Thy dear name we raise  
With one accord our parting hymn of praise;  
Once more we bless Thee ere our worship cease,  
Then, lowly kneeling, wait Thy word of peace.
2. Grant us Thy peace upon our homeward way:  
With Thee began, with Thee shall end the day;  
Guard thou the lips from sin, the hearts from shame,  
That in this house have called upon Thy Name.
3. Grant us Thy peace, Lord, thru the coming night,  
Turn Thou for us its darkness into light;  
From harm and danger keep Thy children free,  
For dark and light are both alike to Thee.
4. Grant us Thy peace thru-out our earthly life,  
Our balm in sorrow and our stay in strife;  
Then, when Thy voice shall bid our conflict cease,  
Call us, O Lord, to Thine eternal peace.

# 87 I Know Whom I Have Believed

1. I know not why God's wondrous grace  
To me He hath made known,  
Nor why, unworthy, Christ in love  
Redeemed me for His own.

*Refrain:*

*But "I know whom I have believed,  
And am persuaded that He is able  
To keep that which I've committed  
Unto Him against that day."*

2. I know not how this saving faith  
To me He did impart,  
Nor how believing in His Word  
Wrought peace within my heart.

3. I know not how the Spirit moves,  
Convincing men of sin,  
Revealing Jesus thru the Word,  
Creating faith in Him.

4. I know not what of good or ill  
May be reserved for me,  
Of weary ways and golden days  
Before His face I see.

5. I know not when my Lord may come-  
At night or noonday fair,  
Nor if I'll walk the vale with Him  
Or meet Him in the air.

# 94 Wonderful, Wonderful Jesus

1. There is never a day so dreary,  
There is never a night so long,  
But the soul that is trusting Jesus  
Will somewhere find a song.

*Refrain:*

*Wonderful, wonderful Jesus!  
In the heart He implanteth a song;  
A song of deliverance, of courage, of strength-  
In the heart He implanteth a song.*

2. There is never a cross so heavy,  
There is never a weight of woe,  
But that Jesus will help to carry  
Because He loveth so.

3. There is never a care or burden,  
There is never a grief or loss,  
But that Jesus in love will lighten  
When carried to the cross.

4. There is never a guilty sinner,  
There is never a wandering one,  
But that God can in mercy pardon  
Thru Jesus Christ, His Son.

# 197 All Glory, Laud And Honour

1. All glory, laud and honour To Thee, Redeemer, King,  
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring:  
Thou art the King of Israel, Thou David's royal Son,  
Who in the Lord's name comest, The King and blessed One!

2. The company of angels Are praising Thee on high,  
And mortal men and all things Created make reply:  
The people of the Hebrews With palms before Thee went;  
Our praise and prayer and anthems Before Thee we present.

3. To Thee, before Thy passion, They sang their hymns of praise;  
To Thee, now high exalted, Our melody we raise;  
Thou didst accept their praises – Accept the praise we bring,  
Who in all good delightest, Thou good and gracious King!

## 246 Open My Eyes, That I May See

1. Open my eyes, that I may see  
Glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;  
Place in my hands the wonderful key  
That shall unclasp and set me free.  
Silently now I wait for Thee,  
Ready, my God, Thy will to see;  
Open my eyes - illumine me,  
Spirit divine!

2. Open my ears, that I may hear  
Voices of truth Thou sendest clear;  
And while the wave-notes fall on my ear,  
Ev'rything false will disappear.  
Silently now I wait for Thee,  
Ready, my God, Thy will to see;  
Open my ears - illumine me,  
Spirit divine!

3. Open my mouth, and let me bear  
Gladly the warm truth ev'rywhere;  
Open my heart and let me prepare  
Love with Thy children thus to share.  
Silently now I wait for Thee,  
Ready, my God, Thy will to see;  
Open my heart - illumine me,  
Spirit divine!

# **254 Break Thou The Bread Of Life**

1. Break Thou the bread of life, Dear Lord, to me,  
As Thou didst break the loaves Beside the sea:  
Beyond the sacred page I seek Thee, Lord;  
My spirit pants for Thee, O living Word.

2. Bless Thou the truth, dear Lord, To me - to me,  
As Thou didst bless the bread By Galilee:  
Then shall all bondage cease, All fetters fall,  
And I shall find my peace, My All in all.

3. Thou art the bread of life, O Lord, to me,  
Thy holy Word the truth That saveth me:  
Give me to eat and live With Thee above;  
Teach me to love Thy truth, For Thou art love.

4. O send Thy Spirit, Lord, Now unto me,  
That He may touch my eyes And make me see:  
Show me the truth concealed Within Thy Word,  
And in Thy book revealed I see the Lord.

# 255 Thy Word Have I Hid In My Heart

1. Thy Word is a lamp to my feet,  
A light to my path always,  
To guide and to save me from sin,  
And show me the heav'nly way.

*Refrain:*

*Thy Word have I hid in my heart,  
That I might not sin against Thee;  
That I might not sin, that I might not sin,  
Thy Word have I hid in my heart.*

2. Forever, O Lord, is Thy Word  
Established and fixed on high;  
Thy faithfulness unto all men  
Abideth forever nigh.

3. At morning, at noon, and at night  
I ever will give Thee praise;  
For Thou art my portion, O Lord,  
And shall be thru all my days!

4. Thru Him whom Thy Word hath foretold,  
The Savior and Morning Star,  
Salvation and peace have been brought  
To those who have strayed afar.

## 258 Lord, Thy Word Abideth

1. Lord, thy word abideth, And our footsteps guideth,  
Who its truth believeth Light and joy receiveth.
2. When our foes are near us, Then thy word doth cheer us,  
Word of consolation, Message of salvation.
3. When the storms are o'er us, And dark clouds before us,  
Then its light directeth, And our way protecteth.
4. Who can tell the pleasure, Who recount the treasure,  
By the word imparted To the simple hearted?
5. Word of mercy, giving Succor to the living;  
Word of life, supplying Comfort to the dying!
6. O, that we discerning Its most holy learning,  
Lord, may love and fear thee, Evermore be near Thee!

## 259 Lamp Of Our Feet

1. Lamp of our feet, whereby we trace  
Our path when wont to stray;  
Stream, from the fount of heav'nly grace;  
Brook by the trav'ler's way:

2. Bread of our souls, whereon we feed;  
True manna from on high;  
Our guide and chart, wherein we read  
Of realms beyond the sky:

3. Pillar of fire, through watches dark,  
And radiant cloud by day:  
When waves would whelm our tossing bark,  
Our anchor and our stay:

4. Word of the everlasting God,  
Will of His glorious Son,  
Without thee, how could earth be trod,  
Or heaven itself be won?

5. Yet to unfold thy hidden worth,  
Thy mysteries to reveal,  
That Spirit Which first gave thee forth,  
Thy volume must unseal.

6. Lord, grant that we aright may learn  
The wisdom it imparts,  
And to its heavenly teaching turn  
With simple, childlike hearts.

# 315 Walk In The Light

1. Walk in the light! so shalt thou know  
That fellowship of love  
His Spirit only can bestow  
Who reigns in light above.

2. Walk in the light! and thou shalt find  
Thy heart made truly His  
Who dwells in cloudless light enshrined  
In Whom no darkness is.

3. Walk in the light! and thou shalt own  
Thy darkness passed away,  
Because that light hath on thee shone  
In which is perfect day.

4. Walk in the light! and e'en the tomb  
No fearful shade shall wear;  
Glory shall chase away its gloom,  
For Christ has conquered there.

5. Walk in the light! and thine shall be  
A path, though thorny, bright;  
For God, by grace, shall dwell in thee,  
And God Himself is light.

# 371 Sweet Hour Of Prayer

1. Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer!  
That calls me from a world of care,  
And bids me at my Father's throne  
Make all my wants and wishes known.  
In seasons of distress and grief,  
My soul has often found relief  
And oft escaped the tempter's snare  
By thy return, sweet hour of prayer!

2. Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer!  
Thy wings shall my petition bear  
To Him whose truth and faithfulness  
Engage the waiting soul to bless.  
And since He bids me seek His face,  
Believe His Word and trust His grace,  
I'll cast on Him my every care,  
And wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer!

3. Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer!  
May I thy consolation share,  
Till, from Mount Pisgah's lofty height,  
I view my home and take my flight:  
This robe of flesh I'll drop and rise  
To seize the everlasting prize;  
And shout, while passing through the air,  
"Farewell, farewell, sweet hour of prayer!"

## 380 Close To Thee

1. Thou my everlasting Portion, more than friend or life to me,  
All along my pilgrim journey, Savior, let me walk with Thee.  
Close to Thee, close to Thee, close to Thee, close to Thee,  
All along my pilgrim journey, Savior, let me walk with Thee.

2. Not for ease or worldly pleasure, nor for fame my prayer shall be;  
Gladly will I toil and suffer, only let me walk with Thee.  
Close to Thee, close to Thee, close to Thee, close to Thee,  
Gladly will I toil and suffer, only let me walk with Thee.

3. Lead me through the vale of shadows, bear me over life's fitful  
sea;  
Then the gate of life eternal may I enter, Lord, with Thee.  
Close to Thee, close to Thee, close to Thee, close to Thee,  
Then the gate of life eternal may I enter, Lord, with Thee.

# 404 Let The Lower Lights Be Burning

1. Brightly beams our Father's mercy  
From His light-house ever more,  
But to us He gives the keeping  
Of the lights along the shore.

*Refrain:*

*Let your lower lights be burning!  
Send a gleam across the wave!  
Some poor fainting, struggling sea-man  
You may rescue, you may save.*

2. Dark the night of sin has settled,  
Loud the angry bellows roar;  
Eager eyes are watching, longing,  
For the lights along the shore.

3. Trim your feeble lamp, my brother!  
Some poor sailor tempest tossed,  
Trying now to make the harbour,  
In the darkness may be lost.

# 422 Follow On

1. Down in the valley with my Savior I would go,  
Where the flowers are blooming and the sweet waters flow;  
Everywhere He leads me I would follow, follow on,  
Walking in His footsteps till the crown be won.

*Refrain:*

*Follow! follow! I would follow Jesus!*

*Anywhere, everywhere, I would follow on!*

*Follow! follow! I would follow Jesus!*

*Everywhere He leads me I would follow on!*

2. Down in the valley with my Savior I would go,  
Where the storms are sweeping and the dark waters flow;  
With His hand to lead me I will never, never fear,  
Danger cannot fright me if my Lord is near.

3. Down in the valley, or upon the mountain steep,  
Close beside my Savior would my soul ever keep;  
He will lead me safely in the path that He has trod,  
Up to where they gather on the hills of God.