

**Rock of Ages**

Rock of Ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in Thee.  
Let the water and the blood,  
From Thy wounded side which flowed,  
Be of sin the double cure,  
Save from wrath and make me pure

Could my tears forever flow?  
Could my zeal no languor know?  
These for sin could not atone;  
Thou must save, and Thou alone.  
In my hand no price I bring;  
Simply to thy cross I cling.

While I draw this fleeting breath,  
When my eyes shall close in death,  
When I rise to worlds unknown,  
And behold Thee on Thy Throne  
Rock of Ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in Thee.

**Open My Eyes That I May See**

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.

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

Open my mouth and let me bear  
Gladly the warm truth everywhere.  
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.

Open my mind that I may read  
More of Thy love in word and deed.  
What shall I fear while yet Thou dost lead?  
Only for light from Thee I plead

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Ready my God, Thy will to see.  
Open my mind, illumine me, Spirit divine.

**Just As I Am**

Just as I am, without one plea,  
But that thy blood was shed for me,  
And that Thou bidst me come to thee,  
Oh Lamb of God, I come, I come!

Just as I am, Thou wilt receive,  
Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve.  
Because Thy promise I believe,  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come!

### **What a Friend We Have in Jesus**

What a Friend we have in Jesus,  
All our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry,  
Everything to God in prayer!  
Oh, what peace we often forfeit,  
Oh, what needless pain we bear.  
All because we do not carry  
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?  
Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged;  
Take it to the Lord in pray.  
Can we find a friend so faithful,  
Who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness;  
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

### **Leaning on the Everlasting Arms**

What a fellowship, what a joy divine,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms!  
What a blessedness, what a peace is mine,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain:  
Leaning, leaning,  
safe and secure from all alarms;  
Leaning, leaning,  
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Oh how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms!  
Oh how bright the path grows from day to day  
Leaning on the everlasting arms. (Refrain)

What have I to dread, what have I to fear,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms?  
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,  
Leaning on the everlasting arms. (Refrain)

### **The Old Rugged Cross**

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross;  
The emblem of suffering and shame.  
And I love that old cross Where the dearest and best,  
For a world of lost sinners was slain.

Refrain:  
So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,  
Til my trophies at last I lay down;  
I will cling to the old rugged cross,  
And exchange it one day for a crown.

Oh, that old rugged cross, so despised by the world,  
Has a wondrous attraction for me;  
For the dear Lamb of God, Left his glory above, To bear it to  
dark Calvary. (Refrain)

To the old rugged cross I will ever be true,  
It's shame and reproach gladly bear;  
Then He'll call me some day  
To my home far away,  
Where His glory forever I'll share. (Refrain)

### **Great Is Thy Faithfulness**

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father,  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not;  
As Thou has been Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain:

Great is Thy faithfulness,  
Great is Thy Faithfulness,  
Morning by morning new mercies I see  
All I have needed, thy hand hath provided  
Great is thy Faithfulness, Lord unto me.

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above;  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. (Refrain)

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside.

### **God Will Take Care of You**

Be not dismayed whate'er be tid,  
God will take care of you;  
Beneath His wings of love abide,  
God will take care of you. (Refrain)

Refrain:

God will take care of you.  
Thro' every day, o'er all the way  
He will take care of you;  
God will take care of you.

No matter what may be the test,  
God will take care of you;  
Lean weary one, upon His breast,  
God will take care of you. (Refrain).

### **I Love to Tell the Story**

I love to tell the story,  
of unseen things above,  
Of Jesus and His glory,  
Of Jesus and His love.  
I love to tell the story  
Because I know 'tis true,  
It satisfies my longings  
As nothing else can do.

I love to tell the story,  
More wonderful it seems  
Than all the golden fancies  
Of all our golden dreams  
I love to tell the story  
It did so much for me;  
And that is just the reason  
I tell it now to thee.

I love to tell the story,  
'Tis pleasant to repeat  
What seems, each time I tell it,  
More wonderfully sweet.  
I love to tell the story,  
For some have never heard  
The message of salvation  
From God's own Holy Word.

I love to tell the story  
For those who know it best  
Seem hungering and thirsting  
To hear it like the rest.  
And when in scenes of glory  
I sing the new, new song,  
'Twill be the old, old story  
That I have loved so long.



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