

Give Thanks unto the Lord, Jehovah

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever. Ps. 118:1

1. Give thanks un - to the Lord, Je - ho - vah, for he is good, O
 2. In a large place the Lord has set me; in my dis - tress he
 3. I shall not die, but live, de - clar - ing the works of God, who
 4. The stone—O Lord, it is your do - ing—the stone the build - ers

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 praise his name! Let Is - rael say, "The Lord be prais - ed;
 heard my cry. I will not fear; the Lord is with me—
 tried me sore, and chas - tened me, but in his mer - cy
 did de - spise, is made the head - stone of the cor - ner,

his mer - cy ev - er is the same." Let Aa - ron's house now praise Je -
 what can man do, when God is nigh? The Lord is chief a - mong my
 not un - to death has giv'n me o'er. The gates of righ - teous - ness set
 and it is mar - v'ulous in our eyes. This is the day, of days most

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 ho - vah; the Lord is good, O praise his name. Let all that
 help - ers; and I shall see my foes o'er - thrown: far bet - ter
 o - pen, the gate of God! I'll en - ter in to praise you,
 glo - rious, the Lord has made; we'll joy and sing. Send now pros -

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 fear the Lord ex - tol him; his mer - cy ev - er is the same.
 than in man or princ - es, my trust I place in God a - lone.
 Lord, who pray'r have an - swered, and have saved me from all my sin.
 per - i - ty, we pray, Lord; and, O our God, sal - va - tion bring!

My Hope Is in the Lord

Christ in you, the hope of glory. Col. 1:27

1. My hope is in the Lord who gave him - self for me,
 2. No mer - it of my own his an - ger to sup - press,
 3. And now for me he stands be - fore the Fa - ther's throne.
 4. His grace has planned it all, 'tis mine but to be - lieve,

and paid the price of all my sin at Cal - va - ry.
 my on - ly hope is found in Je - sus' righ - teous - ness.
 He shows his wound - ed hands, and names me as his own.
 and rec - og - nize his work of love and Christ re - ceive.

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For me he died, for me he lives,
 For me he died, for me he lives,

and ev - er - last - ing life and light he free - ly gives.

The Church's One Foundation

Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone. Eph. 2:20

1. The church - 's one foun - da - tion is Je - sus Christ, her Lord;
 2. E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, yet one o'er all the earth,
 3. Though with a scorn - ful won - der men see her sore op - pressed,
 4. The church shall nev - er per - ish! Her dear Lord to de - fend,

she is his new cre - a - tion by wa - ter and the Word:
 her char - ter of sal - va - tion one Lord, one faith, one birth;
 by schis - ms rent a - sun - der, by her - e - sies dis - tressed,
 to guide, sus - tain, and cher - ish, is with her to the end;

from heav'n he came and sought her to be his ho - ly bride;
 one ho - ly name she bless - es, par - takes one ho - ly food;
 yet saints their watch are keep - ing, their cry goes up, "How long?"
 though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale,

with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.
 and to one hope she press - es, with ev - 'ry grace en - dued.
 And soon the night of weep - ing shall be the morn of song.
 a - gainst or foe or trai - tor she ev - er shall pre - vail.

5. 'Mid toil and tribulation,
 and tumult of her war,
 she waits the consummation
 of peace forevermore;
 till with the vision glorious
 her longing eyes are blest,
 and the great church victorious
 shall be the church at rest.

6. Yet she on earth hath union
 with God the Three in One,
 and mystic sweet communion
 with those whose rest is won:
 O happy ones and holy!
 Lord, give us grace that we,
 like them, the meek and lowly,
 on high may dwell with thee.