

## A Mighty Fortress is our God

(Hymns for Worship and Celebration)

### Verse 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.

### Verse 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.

### Verse 3

And though 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.

### Verse 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.

## Because We Believe

(Gordon, Nancy / Harvill, Jamie)

We believe in God the Father.  
(We believe in God the Father.)  
We believe in Christ the Son.  
(We believe in Christ the Son.)

We believe in the Holy Spirit.  
(We believe in the Holy Spirit.)  
We are the Church, and we stand as one.  
(We are the Church, and we stand as one.)

Holy, holy, holy is our God.  
Worthy, worthy, worthy  
Is our King.  
All glory and honor  
Are His to receive;  
To Jesus we sing,  
Because we believe.

We believe in the Holy Bible.  
(We believe in the Holy Bible.)  
We believe in the virgin birth.  
(We believe in the virgin birth.)

We believe in the resurrection.  
(We believe in the resurrection.)  
That Christ, one day,  
Will return to earth  
(That Christ, one day, will return to earth.)

Holy, holy, holy is our God.  
Worthy, worthy, worthy  
Is our King.  
All glory and honor  
Are His to receive;  
To Jesus we sing,  
Because we believe.

We believe in the blood of Jesus.  
(We believe in the blood of Jesus.)  
We believe in eternal life.  
(We believe in eternal life.)

We believe in His blood  
That frees us.  
(We believe in His blood that frees us.)  
To become the Bride of Christ.  
(To become the Bride of Christ.)

Holy, holy, holy is our God.  
Worthy, worthy, worthy  
Is our King.  
All glory and honor

Are His to receive;  
To Jesus we sing,  
Because we believe.  
(repeat)

## Ancient Words

(Lynn DeShazo)

Holy words long preserved  
for our walk in this world;  
They resound with God's own heart,  
O, let the ancient words impart;

Words of life, words of hope,  
give us strength help us cope;  
In this world where'er we roam,  
ancient words will guide us home.

Ancient words, ever true,  
changing me, changing you;  
We have come with open hearts,  
O let the ancient words impart.

Holy words of our faith  
handed down to this age,  
came to us through sacrifice;  
O, heed the faithful words of Christ.

Martyr's blood stains each page,  
they have died for this faith;  
Hear them cry through the years;  
Heed these words and hold them dear.

Ancient words, ever true,  
changing me, changing you;  
We have come with open hearts,  
O let the ancient words impart.

Ancient words, ever true,  
changing me, changing you;  
*We have come with open hearts,*  
*O let the ancient words impart.*

## Reformation Song

(Bob Kauflin | Tim Chester)

Your Word alone is solid ground,  
The mighty rock on which we build.  
In every line the truth is found,  
And every page with glory filled.

Through faith alone we come to You,  
We have no merit we can claim,  
Sure that Your promises are true,  
We place our hope in Jesus' name.

Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone,  
Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone.

In Christ alone we're justified,  
His righteousness is all our plea,  
Your law's demands are satisfied,  
His perfect work has set us free.

Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone,  
Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone.

By grace alone we have been saved,  
All that we are has come from You,  
Hearts that were once by sin enslaved  
*Now by Your pow'r have been made new.*

Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone,  
Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone.

Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone,  
Gloria, gloria, glory to God alone.

## Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)

(Mark Hall | Michael Bleaker)

One day when Heaven was filled with His praises,  
one day when sin was as black as could be,

Jesus came forth to be born of a virgin.  
Dwelt among men, my example is He.

The Word became flesh and the light shined  
among us, His glory revealed.

Living, He loved me. Dying, He saved me.  
Buried, He carried my sins far away.  
Rising, He justified freely forever.

One day He's coming;  
Oh, glorious day.

One day they led Him up Calvary's mountain.  
One day they nailed Him to die on a tree.

Suffering anguish, despised and rejected, bearing  
our sins, my Redeemer is He.

The hands that healed nations stretched out  
on a tree and took the nails for me.

Living, He loved me. Dying, He saved me.  
Buried, He carried my sins far away.  
Rising, He justified freely forever.  
One day He's coming;  
Oh, glorious day,  
Oh, glorious day.

One day the grave could conceal Him no longer,  
one day the stone rolled away from the door.

Then He arose over death He had conquered.  
Now is ascended my Lord evermore.

Death could not hold Him, the grave could not  
keep Him from rising again.

Living, He loved me, dying He saved me.  
Buried, He carried my sins far away.  
Rising, He justified freely forever.  
One day He's coming,  
O glorious day,  
O glorious day, glorious day.

One day the trumpet will sound for His coming,  
one day the skies with His glories will shine.  
Wonderful day my beloved one bringing.  
My Savior Jesus is mine.

Living, He loved me, dying He saved me.  
Buried, He carried my sins far away.

Rising, He justified freely forever.  
One day He's coming,  
O glorious day,  
O glorious day, glorious day.

O glorious day.