



Great Hymns of Faith

Faith Hymns

Christians are people of Faith. We are saved by Grace through Faith, live by Faith and walk by Faith. Faith is how God designed our relationship to Him.

“Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good testimony. By faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that the things which are seen were not made of things which are visible.” Hebrews 11:1-3

“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.” Ephesians 2:8-9

“For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, ‘The just shall live by faith.’ Romans 1:16-18

“So we are always confident, knowing that while we are at home in the body we are absent from the Lord. For we walk by faith, not by sight. We are confident, yes, well pleased rather to be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord.” 2 Corinthians 5:6-8

This amazing faith relationship has been the focus of thousands of psalms, hymns and spiritual songs sung by the Church during the past two-thousand years. Here are some of our favorites. We pray they will be a blessing to you.

My faith looks up to Thee

*“My **faith** looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior Divine; Now hear me while I pray; Take all my guilt away; Oh, let me from this day Be wholly Thine.*

May Thy rich grace impart Strength to my fainting heart, My zeal inspire; As Thou hast died for me, Oh, may my love to Thee Pure, warm, and changeless be, A living fire.

While life’s dark maze I tread, And griefs around me spread, Be Thou my Guide; Bid darkness turn to day, Wipe sorrow’s tears away, Nor let me ever stray From Thee aside.

All thru life’s transient dream, Until death’s sullen stream Shall o’er me roll, Blest Savior, with Thy love, Fear and distrust remove; Make me Thy grace to prove Transform my soul.”

Ray Palmer

Faith of our Fathers

“Faith of our fathers, living still In spite of dungeon, fire and sword, O how our hearts beat high with joy Whene’er we hear that glorious word! Faith of our fathers! holy faith! We will be true to thee till death!

Our fathers, chained in prisons dark, Were still in heart and conscience free; And blest would be their children’s fate, If they, like them should die for thee: Faith of our fathers! holy faith! We will be true to thee till death!

Faith of our fathers, we will strive To win all nations unto thee; And through the truth that comes from God Mankind shall then indeed be free. Faith of our fathers! holy faith! We will be true to thee till death!

Faith of our fathers, we will love Both friend and foe in all our strife, And preach thee, too, as love knows how By kindly words and virtuous life. Faith of our fathers! holy faith! We will be true to thee till death!”

Faber / Hemy

Faith is the Victory

*“Encamped along the hills of light, Ye Christian soldiers rise, And press the battle ere the night Shall veil the glowing skies; Against the foe in vales below Let all our strength be hurled; **Faith** is the victory, we know, That overcomes the world.*

***Faith** is the victory! **Faith** is the victory! O glorious victory, That overcomes the world.*

*His banner over us is love, Our sword the Word of God; We tread the road the saints before With shouts of triumph trod. By **faith**, they like a whirlwind’s breath, Swept on o’er every field; The **faith** by which they conquered death Is still our shining shield.*

On every hand the foe we find Drawn up in dread array; Let tents of ease be left behind, And onward to the fray. Salvation’s helmet on each head, With truth all girt about, The earth shall tremble ’neath our tread, And echo with our shout.

To him that overcomes the foe, White raiment shall be giv’n; Before the angels he shall know His name confessed in heav’n; Then onward from the hills of light, Our hearts with love

aflame, We'll vanquish all the hosts of night, In Jesus' conqu'ring name."

John Yates

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 hast been Thou forever will be Great is Thy **faithfulness***

*Great is Thy **faithfulness** Morning by morning new mercies I see And all I have needed Thy hand hath provided Great is Thy **faithfulness** Lord unto me*

*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 **Great** is Thy **faithfulness** Great is Thy **faithfulness** Lord every morning new mercies I see And all I have needed Thy hands hath provided Great is Thy **faithfulness** Great is Thy **faithfulness** Great is Thy **faithfulness** Lord unto me So faithful too me.”*

Chisholm / Runyan

Living by Faith

"I care not today what the morrow may bring, If shadow or sunshine or rain, The Lord I know ruleth o'er everything, And all of my worries are vain.

*Living by **faith** in Jesus above, Trusting, confiding in His great love; From all harm safe in His sheltering arm, I'm living by **faith** and feel no alarm.*

Though tempests may blow and the storm clouds arise, Obscuring the brightness of life, I'm never alarmed at the overcast skies— The Master looks on at the strife.

I know that He safely will carry me through, No matter what evils betide; Why should I then care though the tempest may blow, If Jesus walks close to my side.

Our Lord will return for His loved ones some day, Our troubles will then all be o'er; The Master so gently will lead us away, Beyond that blest heavenly shore."

Wells / Winsett

