

THE LIGHT AT THE END OF THE TUNNEL: “Rest for the Soul” Order of Worship 8:30 & 11:00 Service

Meditation

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Standing on the Promises

Scripture Reading | Psalm 116:1-2, 5-9, 12-14

Message in Song | Til They Rest in You

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

All the Poor and Powerless

Message | Matthew 11:26-30

Invitation | Near to the Heart of God

Benediction

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

VERSE 1

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.

CHORUS

Leaning, leaning,
Safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning,
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

VERSE 2

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.

VERSE 3

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.

Words and Music: ELISHA A. HOFFMAN
and ANTHONY J. SHOWALTER

Standing on the Promises

VERSE 1

Standing on the promises of Christ my King!
Through eternal ages let His praises ring;
“Glory in the highest” I will shout and sing,
I’m standing on the promises of God.

VERSE 2

Standing on the promises that cannot fail,
When the howling storms of doubt and fear assail.
By the living word of God I shall prevail,
Standing on the promises of God.

CHORUS

I’m standing, standing,
Standing on the promises of God, my Savior.
Standing, standing,
I’m standing on the promises of God.

VERSE 3

Standing on the promises I now can see
Perfect, present cleansing in the blood for me;
Standing in the liberty where Christ makes free,
Standing on the promises of God.

BRIDGE

We can stand firm. We can stand strong
Putting all our trust in the promises of God!
We can stand in faith. We can stand in awe,
Putting all our hope in the promises of God.

VERSE 4

Standing on the promises of Christ, the Lord,
Bound to Him eternally by love’s strong cord;
Overcoming daily with the Spirit’s sword,
Standing on the promises of God.

VERSE 5

Standing on the promises I cannot fall,
List’ning ev’ry moment to the Spirit’s call,
Resting in my Savior as my all in all,
Standing on the promises of God.

Words and Music by R. KELSO CARTER
New Words and Music by TOMMY WALKER

Scripture Reading | Psalms 116:1-2, 5-9, 12-14

¹ I love the LORD, for he heard my voice; he heard my cry for mercy ² Because he turned his ear to me, I will call on him as long as I live... ⁵ The LORD is gracious and righteous; our God is full of compassion. ⁶ The LORD protects the unwary; when I was brought low, he saved me. ⁷ Return to your rest, my soul, for the LORD has been good to you. ⁸ For you, LORD, have delivered me from death, my eyes from tears, my feet from stumbling, ⁹ that I may walk before the LORD in the land of the living... ¹² What shall I return to the LORD for all his goodness to me? ¹³ I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the LORD. ¹⁴ I will fulfill my vows to the LORD in the presence of all his people.

Til They Rest In You

Words and Music by **SCOTT KRIPPAYNE** and **TONY WOOD**

Comes an honest moment when each heart looks inside,
Finding nothing here on earth truly satisfies.
Some choose to ignore the ache, some confess it's true.
God, our hearts will have no peace 'til they rest in You.

Every pleasure every thrill, never is enough.
Every trophy, even gold, simply turns to dust.
Most still search to find real joy, yet they never do
God, our hearts will have no peace
God, our hearts will have no peace 'til they rest in You.

We yearn, we thirst, we stumble in the dark,
Discontent, for you've set eternity within each heart.

Thank You for my desperate days, feeling incomplete.
Thank You for your loving ways, leading me to see
Jesus, You are all I need. Nothing else will do.
God, our hearts will have no peace 'til they rest in You.

We yearn, we thirst, we stumble in the dark,
Discontent, for you've set eternity within each heart.

Lord, help me to live to reach others with this truth.
God, our hearts will have no peace
God, our hearts will have no peace 'til they rest in You.

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

VERSE 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.

VERSE 2

Breathe, O breathe, Thy loving Spirit into ev'ry troubled breast.
Let us all in Thee inherit, let us find the promised rest.
Take away our bent to sinning; Alpha and Omega be;
End of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty.

VERSE 3

Come, Almighty, to deliver, let us all Thy grace receive;
Suddenly return, and never, nevermore 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.

VERSE 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 heav'n we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love and praise.

All the Poor and Powerless

VERSE 1

All the poor and powerless,
And all the lost and lonely,
And all the thieves will come confess
And know that You are holy...
And know that You are holy.

CHORUS 1

And all will sing out, "Hallelujah!"
And we will cry out, "Hallelujah!"

VERSE 2

All the hearts who are content,
And all who feel unworthy,
And all who hurt with nothing left
Will know that You are holy.

BRIDGE

Shout it, go on and scream it
from the mountains;
Go on and tell it to the masses,
that He is God!

CHORUS 2

We will sing out, "Hallelujah!"
And we will cry out, "Hallelujah!"
We will sing out, "Hallelujah!"
And shout, yeah!

Words and Music: DAVID LEONARD
and LESLIE JORDAN

Near to the Heart of God

VERSE 1

There is a place of quiet rest,
Near to the heart of God;
A place where sin cannot molest,
Near to the heart of God.

CHORUS

O Jesus, blest Redeemer,
Sent from the heart of God,
Hold us who wait before Thee,
Near to the heart of God.

VERSE 2

There is a place of comfort sweet,
Near to the heart of God;
A place where we our Savior meet,
Near to the heart of God.

VERSE 3

There is a place of full release,
Near to the heart of God;
A place where all is joy and peace,
Near to the heart of God.

Words and Music: CLELAND B. MCAFEE