

How Firm a Foundation

1. How firm a foundation, you saints of the Lord, is laid for your
2. "Fear not, I am with you, O be not dis-mayed; for I am your
3. "When through the deep waters I call you to go, the rivers of
4. "When through fiery trials your path-way shall lie, My grace, all-suf-

faith in His ex-cel-lent Word! What more can He say than to
God, and will still give you aid; I'll strength-en you, help you, and
sor-row shall not o-ver-flow; for I will be with you, your
fi-cient, shall be your sup-ply; the flame shall not hurt you; I

you He has said, to you who for ref-uge to Je-sus have fled?
cause you to stand, up-held by My right-eous, om-nip-o-tent hand.
trou-bles to bless, and sanc-ti-fy to you your deep-est dis-tress.
on-ly de-sign your dross to con-sume, and your gold to re-fine.

5. "E'en down to old age all My people shall prove
My sovereign, eternal, unchangeable love;
and when hoary hairs shall their temples adorn,
like lambs they shall still in My bosom be borne.
6. "The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose,
I will not, I will not desert to his foes;
that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake."