

Amazing Grace

Words (verses 1-6), John Newton, 1773; verse 7, unknown, ca. 1829

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1. A - maz - ing grace! How sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me!
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears re - lieved;
3. Thro' man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I have al - read - y come;
4. The Lord has prom-ised good to me, Has word my hope se - cures;
5. Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail, And mor - tal life shall cease,
6. The earth shall soon dis - solve like snow, The sun for - bear to shine;
7. When we've been there ten thou - sand years, Bright shin - ing as the sun.



I once was lost but now am found, Was blind but now I see.
How pre - cious did that grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved.
'Tis grace that bro't me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
He will my strength and por - tion be As long as life en - dures.
I shall pos - sess with in the veil, A life of joy and peace.
But God, Who called me here be - low, Shall be for - ev - er mine.
We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first be - gun.