Amazing Grace

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1. Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
   That saved a wretch like me!
   I once was lost, but now am found;
   Was blind, but now I see.

2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
   And grace my fears relieved;
   The hour I first believed.
   The sun forbear to shine;

3. Through many dangers, toils and snares,
   I have already come;
   Safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
   But God, Who called me here below,

4. The Lord has promised good to me,
   His Word my hope secures;
   He will my Shield and portion be,
   A life of joy and peace.

5. Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail,
   I shall possess, with grace appears,
   As long as life endures.
   Shall be forever mine.

6. The earth shall soon dissolve like snow,
   The sun forbear to shine;
   But God, Who called me here below,
   Shall be forever mine.

7. When we’ve been there ten thousand years,
   Bright shining as the sun,
   We’ve no less days to sing God’s praise
   Than when we’d first begun.

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