

Sunday 28th November 2021
Advent Sunday

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord

Open the eyes of my heart
I want to see You, I want to see You
(Repeat)

To see You high and lifted up
Shining in the light of Your glory.
Pour out Your power and love
As we sing holy, holy, holy
Holy, holy, holy

Holy, holy, holy
Holy, holy, holy
You are holy, holy, holy
I want to see you

Michael W Smith 1957

1 Crown him with many crowns,
*the Lamb upon his throne;
hark, how the heav'nly anthem drowns
all music but its own:
awake, my soul, and sing
of him who died for thee,
and hail him as thy matchless King
through all eternity.*

2 Crown him the Lord of love;
*behold his hands and side,
those wounds, yet visible above
in beauty glorified:
no angel in the sky
can fully bear that sight,
but downward bends his burning eye
at mysteries so bright.*

3 Crown him the Lord of life,
*who triumphed o'er the grave,
and rose victorious in the strife
for those he came to save.
His glories now we sing,
who died and rose on high
Who died eternal life to bring
and lives that death may die.*

4 Crown him the Lord of peace,
*whose pow'r a sceptre sways
from pole to pole, that wars may cease,
absorbed in prayer and praise:
his reign shall know no end,
and round his piercèd feet
fair flow'rs of paradise extend
their fragrance ever sweet.*

*5 Crown him the Lord of years,
the Potentate of time,
Creator of the rolling spheres,
ineffably sublime.
All hail, Redeemer, hail!
for thou hast died for me;
thy praise shall never, never fail
throughout eternity.*

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Father God, I wonder how I
*managed to exist without the
knowledge of Your parenthood
and Your loving care*

*Now I am Your son,
I am adopted in Your family
and I can never be alone
'Cause Father God,
You're there beside me*

*I will sing Your praises
I will sing Your praises
I will sing Your praises forever more
I will sing Your praises
I will sing Your praises
I will sing Your praises forever more*

Kate Miner

Faithful one, so unchanging
*Ageless one, you're my rock of peace
Lord of all I depend on you,
I call out to you, again and again
I call out to you, again and again*

*You are my rock in times of trouble
You lift me up when I fall down
All through the storm
Your love is, the anchor
My hope is in You alone*

Brian Doerksen

Such love, pure as the whitest snow
*Such love, weeps for the shame I know
Such love, paying the debt I owe
O Jesus, such love*

*Such love, stilling my restlessness
Such love, filling my emptiness
Such love, showing me holiness
O Jesus, such love*

*Such love, springs from eternity
Such love, streaming through history*

Such love, fountain of life to me
O Jesus, such love

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Glory, laud and honour unto Christ the king!
this through countless ages we with angels sing.
Onward, ...

To be in your presence

To sit at your feet
When your love surrounds me
And makes me complete

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This is my desire, o Lord
This is my desire
This is my desire, o Lord
This is my desire

To rest in your presence
Not rushing away
To cherish each moment
Here i would stay

Noel Richards

1 Onward, Christian soldiers! marching as to war,

with the cross of Jesus going on before.
Christ, the royal master, leads against the foe:
forward into battle see his banners go!

Onward, Christian soldiers, marching as to war,
with the cross of Jesus going on before.

2 At the name of Jesus, Satan's host doth flee:
on then, Christian soldiers, on to victory!
Hell's foundations tremble at the shout of praise
sing the song of triumph! loud your anthems
raise!

Onward, ...

3 Like a mighty army moves the church of God:
we are humbly treading where the saints have
trod;

We are not divided all one body we,
one in hope and doctrine, one in charity.

Onward, ...

4 Crowns and thrones may perish, kingdoms rise
and wane,
but the church of Jesus constant will remain;
Gates of hell can never 'gainst that church pre-
vail
we have Christ's own promise and that cannot
fail.

Onward, ...

5 Onward then, ye people! Join our happy
throng!
blend with ours your voices in the triumph song:

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