

How Firm a Foundation, Ye Saints of the Lord

John Rippon's "A Selection of Hymns" / FOUNDATION

1. How firm a foun - da - tion, ye saints of the Lord, is laid for your
2. Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dis-mayed, for he is thy
3. When through the deep wa - ters he calls thee to go, the riv - ers of
4. The soul that on Je - sus has leaned for re - pose, he will not, he

1. faith in his ex - cel - lent Word! What more can he say than to
2. God, and will still give thee aid; he'll strength - en thee, help thee, and
3. grief shall not thee o - ver - flow; for he will be with thee in
4. can - not de - sert to its foes; that soul, though all hell should en -

1. you he has said, you who un - to Je - sus for ref - uge have fled?
2. cause thee to stand, up - held by his righ - teous, om - nip - o - tent hand.
3. trou - ble to bless, and sanc - ti - fy to thee, thy deep - est dis - tress.
4. deav - our to shake, he nev - er will leave, he will nev - er for - sake!

Inspiration: Isaiah 41: 10, 43: 2; Romans 8: 3-39; Hebrews 13: 5; Deuteronomy 31: 6.
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