**I WILL RISE**

*There's a peace that we can know, though the heart and flesh may foil; There's an anchor for my soul; I can say it is well.*

*Jesus has come and the grave is empty. Victory is won! And I will rise when He calls my name; No more sorrow!*

*No more pain! I will rise on eagle's wings! Before my God-- fall on my knees! I will rise!*

*There's a day that's drawing near when the dark is turned to Light.*

*I will rise! and the shadows disappear; my Lord shall be my Guide!*

*Jesus has come! and the grave overwhelmed; the Victory is won!*

*He is risen from the dead and I will rise when He calls my name!*

*No more sorrow! No more pain! I will rise on eagle wings Before my God fall on my knees and rise; I will rise!*

*Hear the voice of angels sing, "Worthy is the Lamb" And I will cry with every longing heart, "Worthy is the Lamb"*

But God is so rich in mercy, He loved us so much that even though we were spiritually dead and doomed

by our sins, He gave us back our lives again when He raised Christ from the dead--- only by His

undeserved favor have we ever been saved--- and He lifted us up from the grave into glory along with

Christ, where we sit with Him in the heavenly realm—all because of what Christ Jesus did.  And now

God can always point to us as examples of how very, very rich His kindness is, as shown in all He has

done for us through Jesus Christ. Because of His kindness you have been saved through trusting Christ.

And even trusting is not of yourselves, it too is a gift from God.  Salvation is not a reward for the good we

have done, so none of us can take any credit for it.  It is God Himself who has made us what we are and

given us new lives from Christ Jesus, and long ago He planned that we should spend these lives in

helping others.  Ephesians 2: 4- 9. The Living Bible.

*When upon the billows you are tempest tossed; When you are discouraged thinking all is lost.*

*Count your blessings, name them one by one, And it will surprise you what the Lord has done.*

*Count your blessings! name them one by one! Count your many blessings! See what God has done!*

*Count your many blessings! Name them one by one! And it will surprise you what the Lord has done!*