**OH, MAY ALL WHO COME BEHIND US FIND US FAITHFUL**

*We are pilgrims on the journey of the Narrow Road, And those who have gone before us light the Way.*

*Cheering on the faithful, encouraging the weary Their lives a sterling testament of God's sustaining Grace.*

*Surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses Let us run the race, not only for the prize.*

*But for those who have gone before us Let us leave to those behind us;*

*The Heritage of faithfulness passed on by Godly lives. Oh, may all who come behind us find us faithful.*

*May the fire of their devotion light the way, May the footprints that we leave, lead them to believe*

*And our lives inspire them to obey; Oh, may all who come behind us find us faithful.*

*After all our hopes and dreams have come and gone And our children sift through all we left behind;*

*May the clues that they discover And the memories they uncover, Become the Light that leads them*

*To the road that we all must find. Oh, may all who come behind us find us faithful.*

*May the fire of our devotion Light the Way, May the footprints that we leave, lead them to believe.*

*And our lives inspire  them to obey. Oh may all who come behind us find us faithful.*

25} For God sent Christ Jesus to take the punishment for our sins and to end all God's anger against us.

He used Christ's blood and our faith as the means of saving us from His wrath. In this way He was being

entirely fair, even though He did not punish those who sinned in former times. For He was looking

forward to the time when Christ would come and take away those sins. 26} And now in these days also

He can receive sinners in this same way, because Jesus took away their sins.  But isn't this unfair for God

to let criminals go free, and say that they are innocent?  No, for He does it on the basis of their trust in

Jesus, who took away their sins 27} Then what can we boast about doing to earn our salvation? Nothing

at all!  Why?  Because our acquittal is not based on our good deeds, it is based on what Christ has done

and our faith in Him. 28} So it is that we are saved by faith in Christ and not by the  the good things we

do. Romans 3: 25- 28   The Living Bible.