

Cheltenham United Methodist Church

Welcome  
**TO WORSHIP**

We're Glad You're Here



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**Monday, September 30, 2024**

Monday Methodists 9am

Knitting Circle 10am

**Tuesday, October 1, 2024**

Church Conference 7pm

via Zoom

<https://zoom.us/j/3960781594>

**Wednesday, October 2, 2024**

Pastor's Office Hour 2pm-4pm

**Thursday, October 3, 2024**

Pastor's Office Hour 10pm-12pm





# GREETING

Welcome in the name of the Lord.

**Thank you. We are glad to be here.**

Open your hearts today to hear God's word for you.

**We open our spirits to receive God's healing love.**

Remember that God has called you to service.

**Lord, help us to be ready to serve you  
in all that we do. AMEN.**





# PRAYER

**Lord of joy and mercy,  
be with us this day as we seek your voice  
and your guidance.**

**Remove the obstacles that block our commitment  
and help us to truly be your disciples;  
for we ask this in Christ's Name. AMEN.**



# Precious Name

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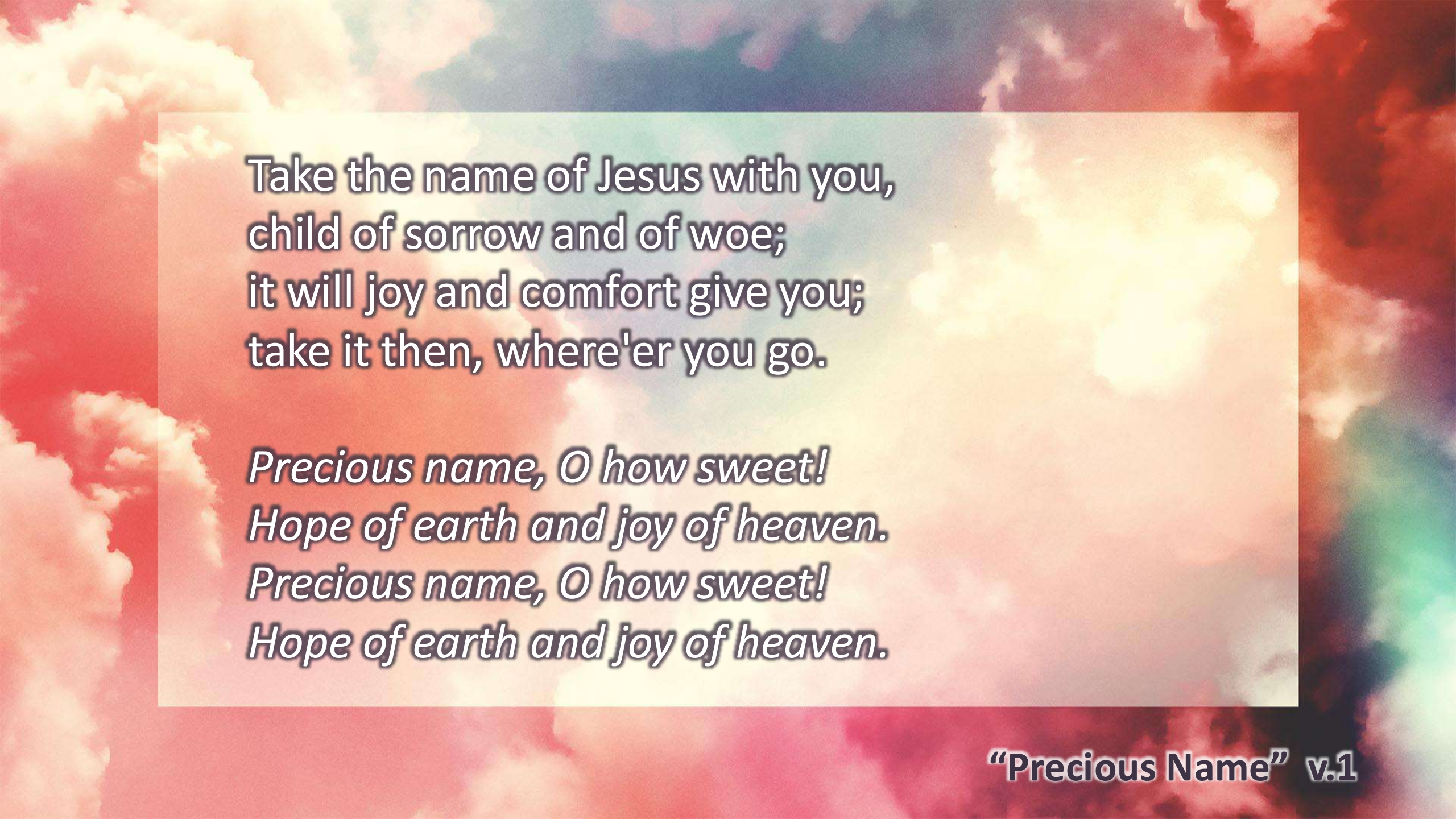
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*Tune: PRECIOUS NAME*

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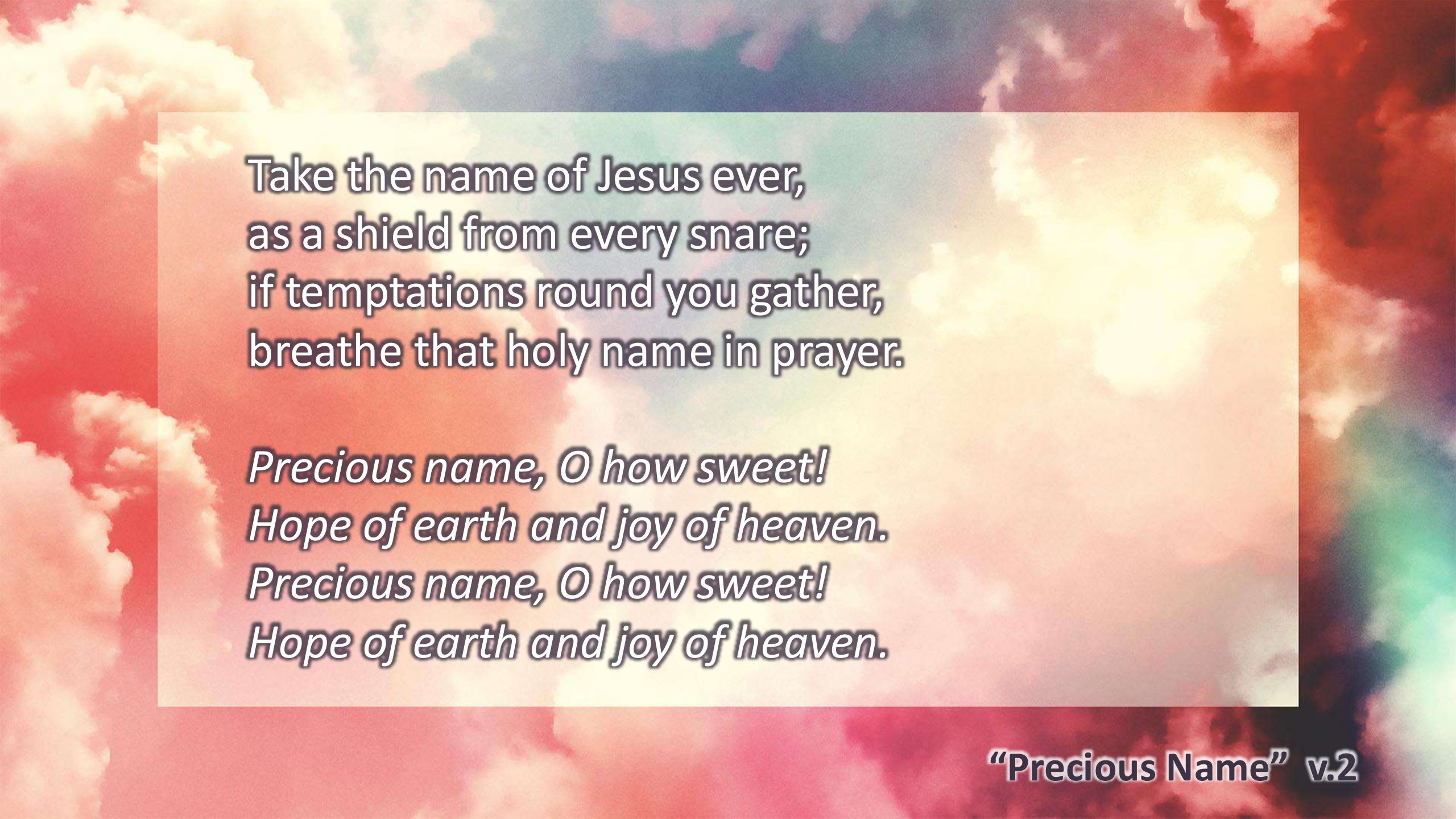




Take the name of Jesus with you,  
child of sorrow and of woe;  
it will joy and comfort give you;  
take it then, where'er you go.

*Precious name, O how sweet!  
Hope of earth and joy of heaven.  
Precious name, O how sweet!  
Hope of earth and joy of heaven.*

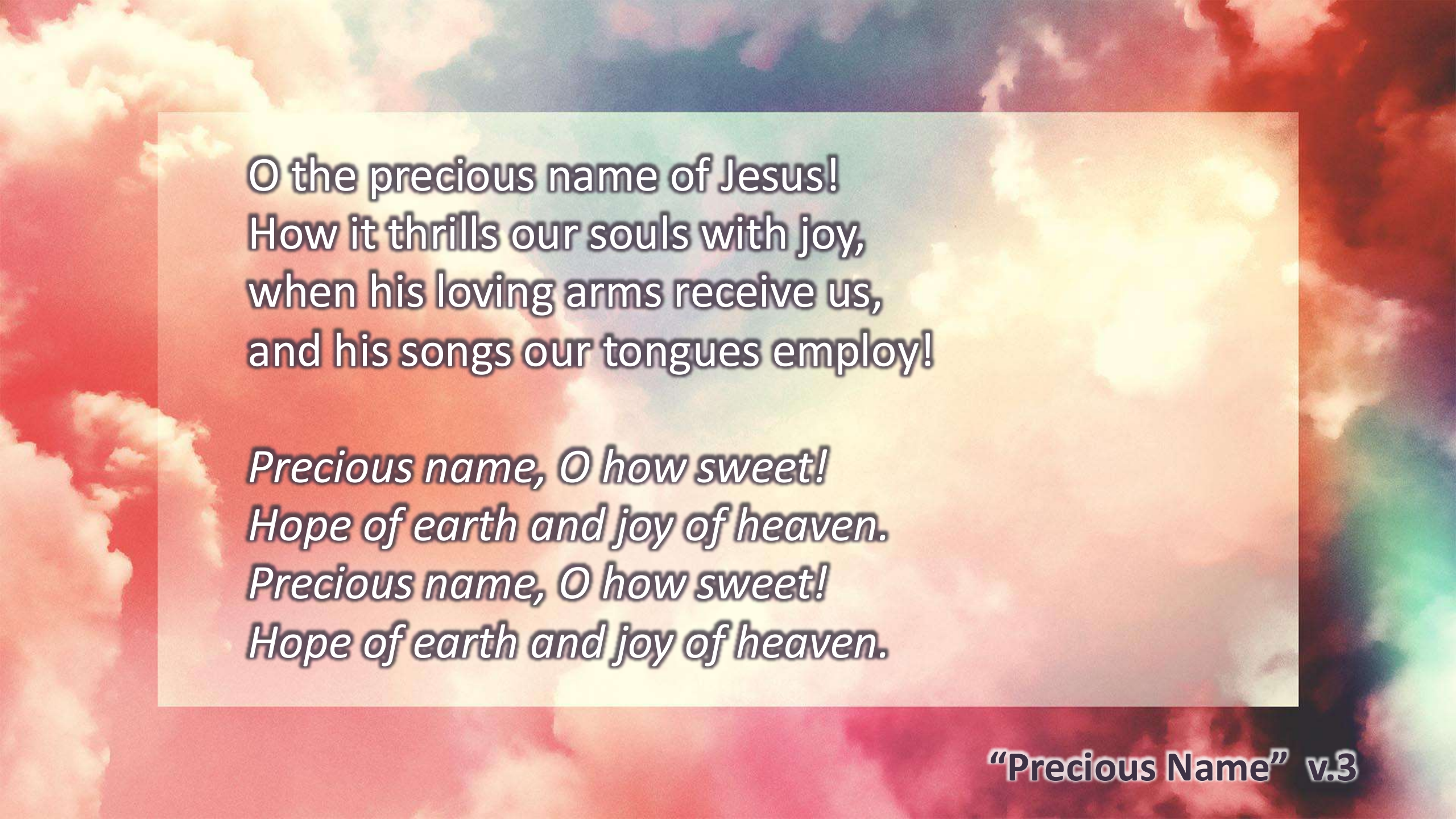




Take the name of Jesus ever,  
as a shield from every snare;  
if temptations round you gather,  
breathe that holy name in prayer.

*Precious name, O how sweet!  
Hope of earth and joy of heaven.  
Precious name, O how sweet!  
Hope of earth and joy of heaven.*

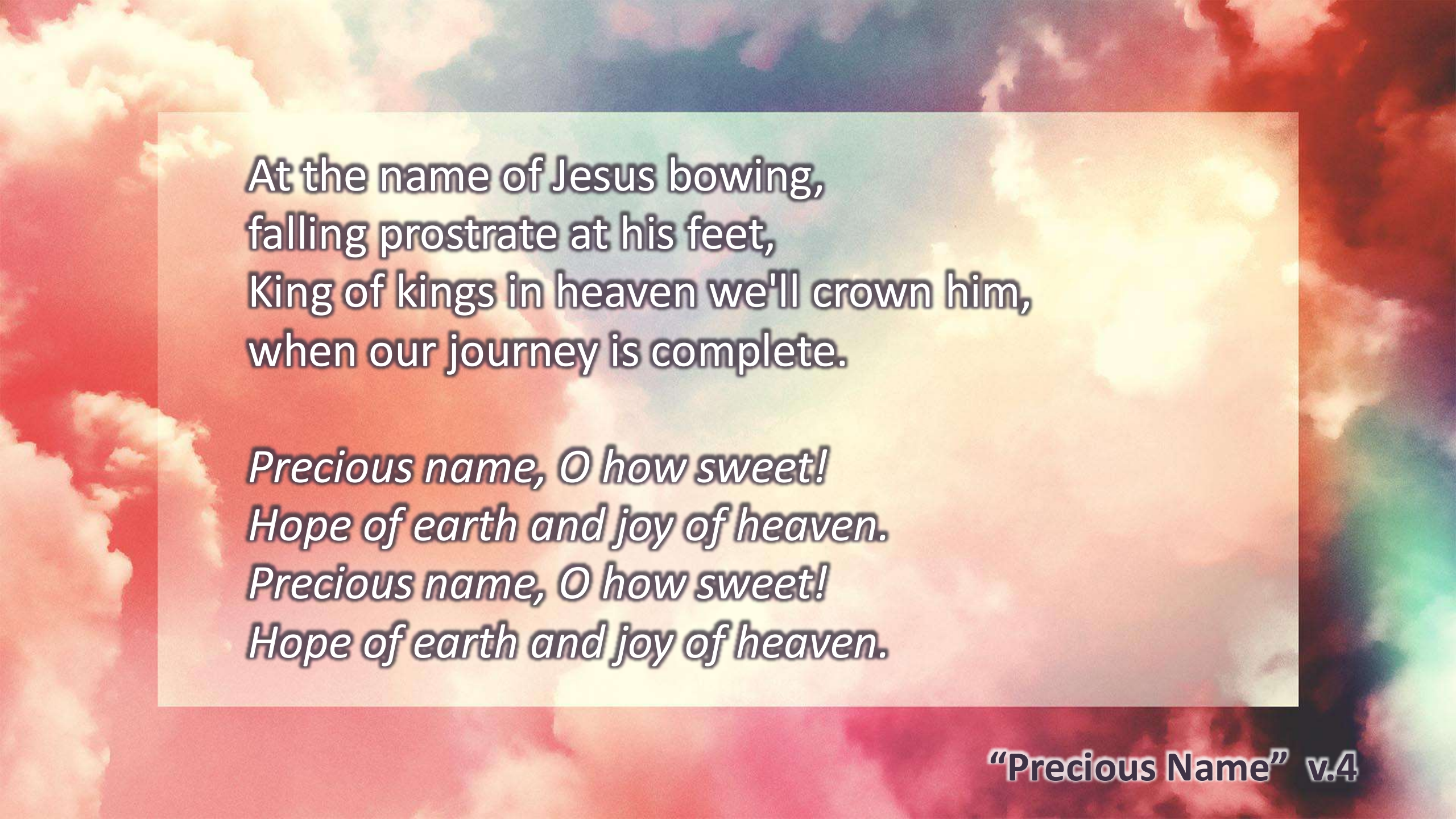




O the precious name of Jesus!  
How it thrills our souls with joy,  
when his loving arms receive us,  
and his songs our tongues employ!

*Precious name, O how sweet!*  
*Hope of earth and joy of heaven.*  
*Precious name, O how sweet!*  
*Hope of earth and joy of heaven.*





At the name of Jesus bowing,  
falling prostrate at his feet,  
King of kings in heaven we'll crown him,  
when our journey is complete.

*Precious name, O how sweet!*  
*Hope of earth and joy of heaven.*  
*Precious name, O how sweet!*  
*Hope of earth and joy of heaven.*





+PASSING OF THE PEACE

SPECIAL MUSIC





SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER



Lord, listen to your children praying,  
Lord, send your Spirit in this place;  
Lord, listen to your children praying.  
Send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

*Writer: Ken Medema (1973)  
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**“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”**





## LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven,  
Hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come; thy will be done  
On earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread  
And forgive us our trespasses**

**As we forgive those who trespass against us  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory forever. Amen.**





# What Wondrous Love Is This

*Words: USA folk hymn*

*Music: USA folk hymn; harm. By Paul J. Christiansen, 1955*

*Tune: WONDROUS LOVE*

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What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul,  
what wondrous love is this, O my soul!  
What wondrous love is this,  
that caused the Lord of bliss  
to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,  
to bear the dreadful curse for my soul.

**“What Wondrous Love Is This” v.1**



What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul,  
what wondrous love is this, O my soul!  
What wondrous love is this,  
that caused the lord of life  
to lay aside his crown for my soul, for my soul,  
to lay aside his crown for my soul.



To God and to the Lamb, I will sing, I will sing,  
to God and to the Lamb, I will sing.  
To God and to the Lamb,  
who is the great I AM,  
while millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing,  
while millions join the theme I will sing.



And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on,  
and when from death I'm free, I'll sing on.  
And when from death I'm free,  
I'll sing and joyful be,  
and through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on,  
and through eternity I'll sing on.



# OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Esther 9:20-22 NRSV

<sup>20</sup> Mordecai recorded these things and sent letters to all the Jews who were in all the provinces of King Ahasuerus, both near and far,  
<sup>21</sup> enjoining them that they should keep the fourteenth day of the month Adar and also the fifteenth day of the same month, year by year,



# OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Esther 9:20-22 NRSV

<sup>22</sup> as the days on which the Jews gained relief from their enemies and as the month that had been turned for them from sorrow into gladness and from mourning into a holiday, that they should make them days of feasting and gladness, days for sending gifts of food to one another and presents to the poor.



# NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

James 5:13-20 NRSV

<sup>13</sup> Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. <sup>14</sup> Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. <sup>15</sup> The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up, and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven.



# NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

James 5:13-20 NRSV

<sup>16</sup> Therefore confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, so that you may be healed.

The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. <sup>17</sup> Elijah was a human like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth.

<sup>18</sup> Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain, and the earth yielded its harvest.



# NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

James 5:13-20 NRSV

<sup>19</sup> My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another,  
<sup>20</sup> you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.





**SERMON**

# **Prayers that Change Lives**

**Rev. Daein Park**



# OFFERTORY “As the Deer” TFWS 2025

*Music: Martin J. Nystrom*

*Tune: AS THE DEER*

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# DOXOLOGY

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER





# They'll Know We are Christians

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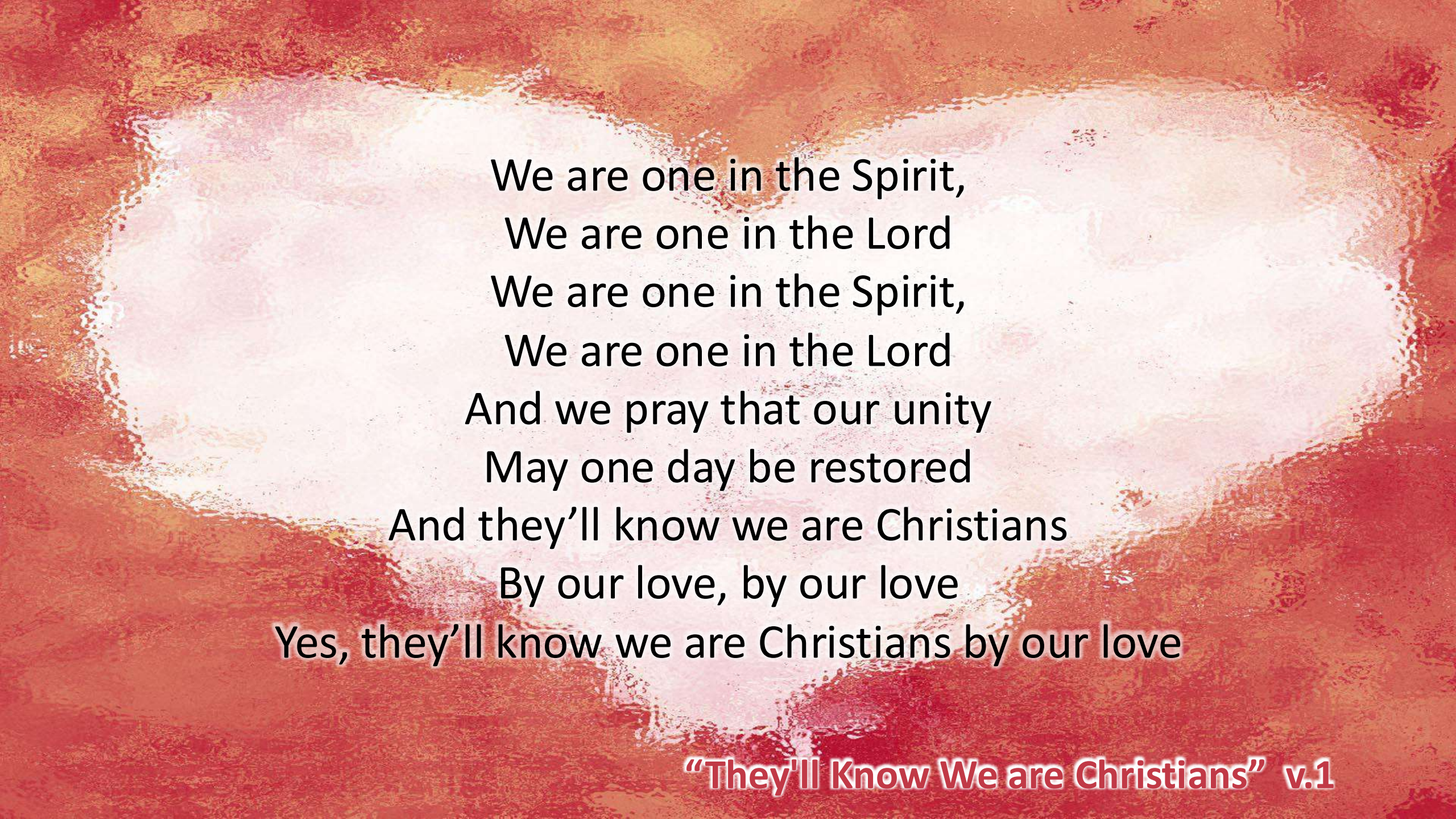
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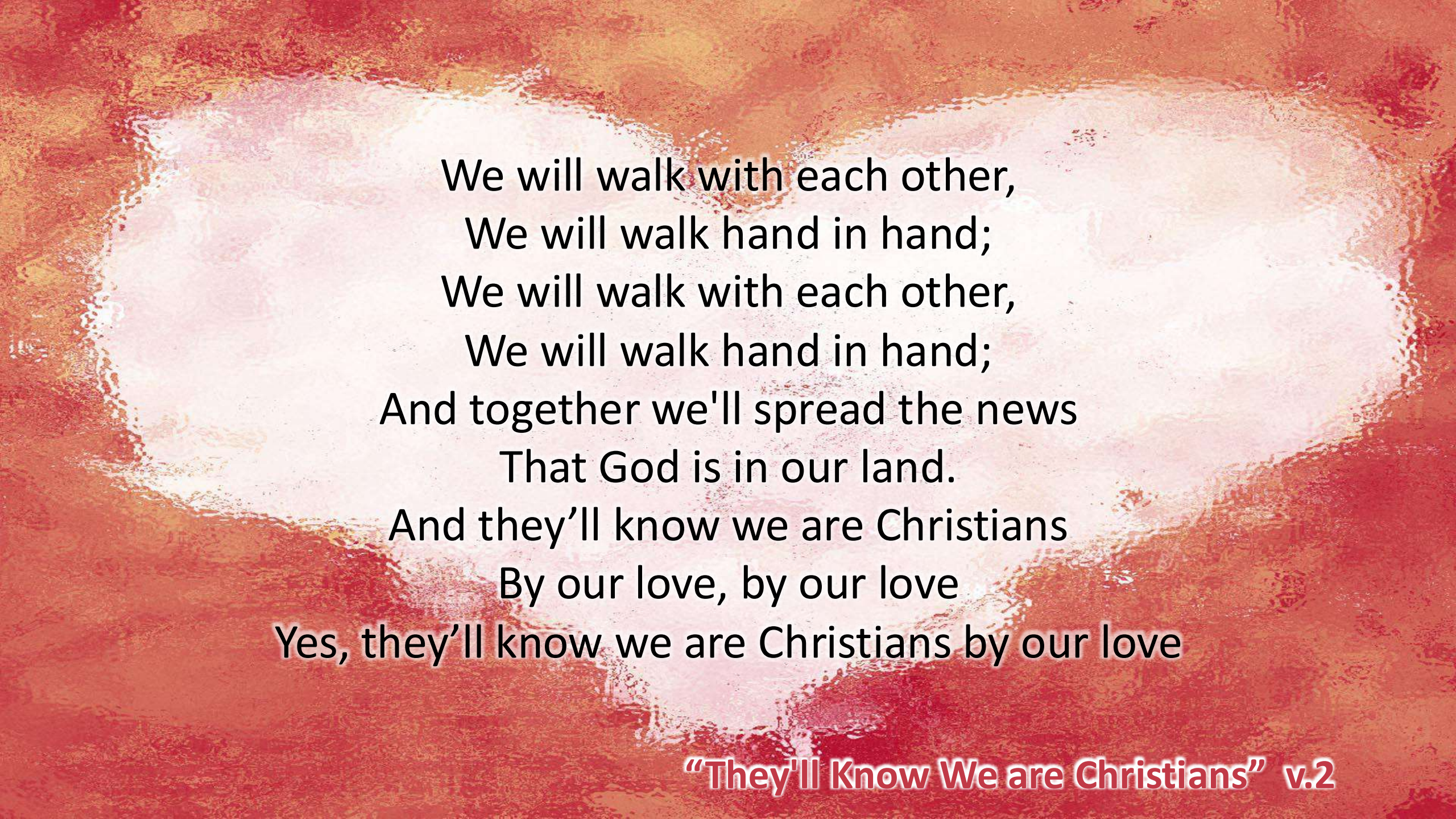




We are one in the Spirit,  
We are one in the Lord  
We are one in the Spirit,  
We are one in the Lord  
And we pray that our unity  
May one day be restored  
And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love, by our love  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love

**"They'll Know We are Christians" v.1**

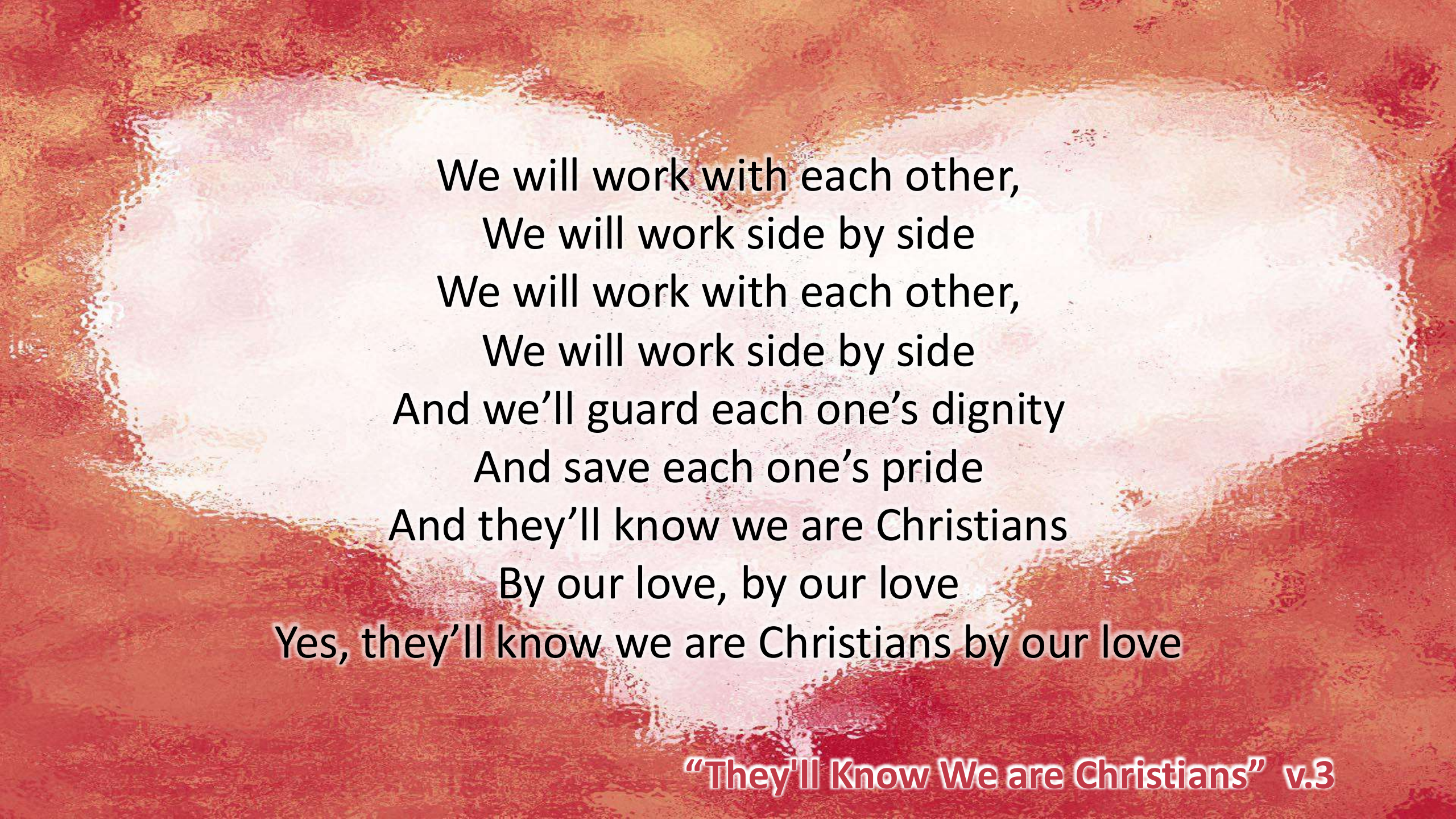




We will walk with each other,  
We will walk hand in hand;  
We will walk with each other,  
We will walk hand in hand;  
And together we'll spread the news  
That God is in our land.  
And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love, by our love  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love

**“They'll Know We are Christians” v.2**

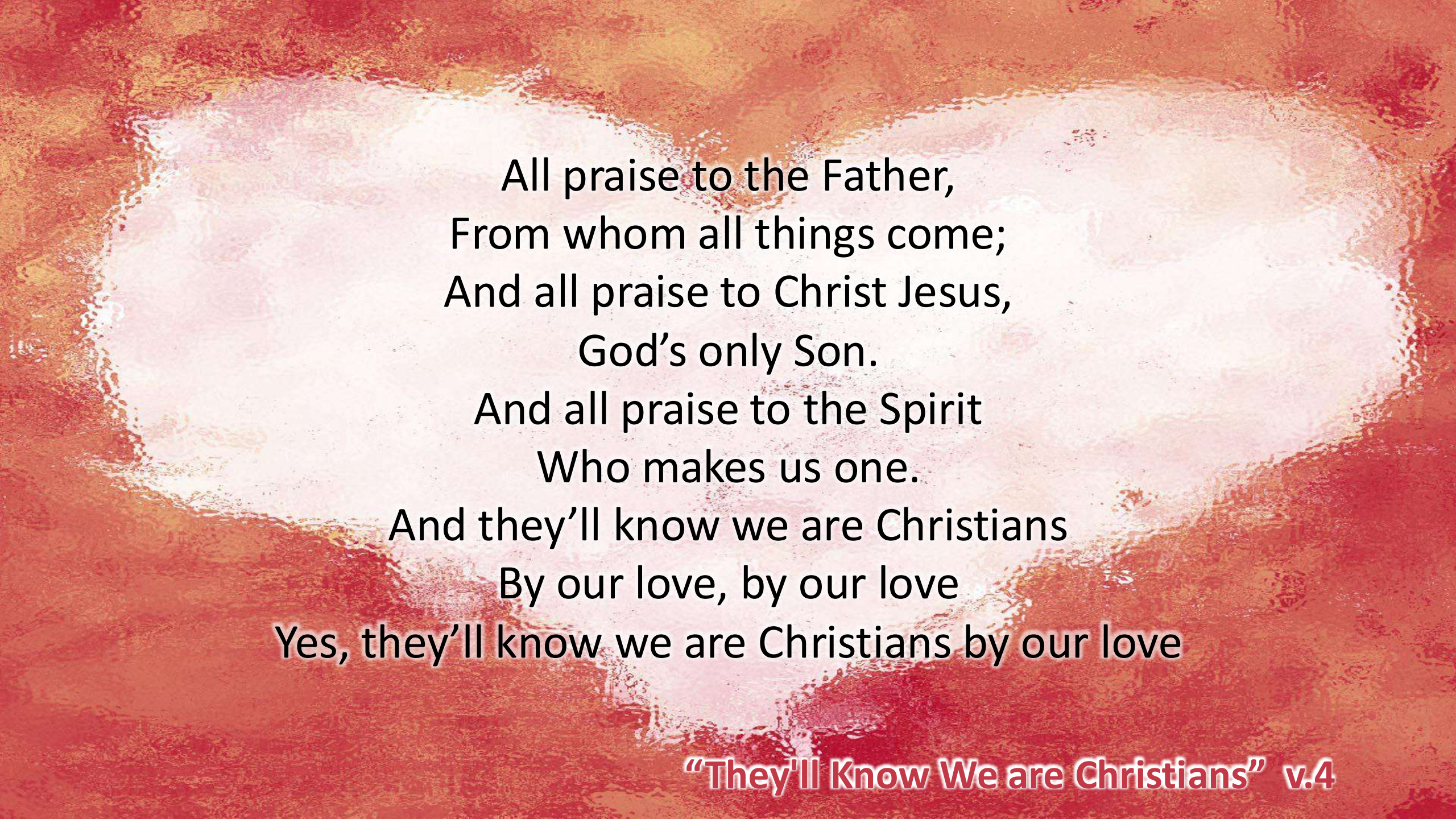




We will work with each other,  
We will work side by side  
We will work with each other,  
We will work side by side  
And we'll guard each one's dignity  
And save each one's pride  
And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love, by our love  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love

**“They'll Know We are Christians” v.3**





All praise to the Father,  
From whom all things come;  
And all praise to Christ Jesus,  
God's only Son.  
And all praise to the Spirit  
Who makes us one.  
And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love, by our love  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love

**"They'll Know We are Christians" v.4**



**+BENEDICTION**

Have a  
**GREAT WEEK**

God Bless You

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