

The Word

In the beginning was the Word
The Word was with God and the Word was God
All things were made through Him
Without Him was not one thing made that was made

He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood
And His Name is called the Word of God
This is my comfort through trial
That Your Word has revived me and given me life.

Sharper than any two edged sword
Piercing to the division of spirit and soul
Powerful and alive is His Word
For it judges the thoughts and intents of the heart.

If you abide in My Word
You are truly My disciples
And you will know the Truth
And the Truth will set you free.

John 1:1-3
Also, Col 1:16-17

Rev 19:13

Psalm 119:50

Heb 12:4

John 8:31-32

I AM

I AM is the Name of God. When Jesus said "I Am....." he was testifying to Who he was, still is, and is forever more. As Christ lives in our hearts, we too take on His Name as we take on 'sonship' (Heb 12:7). In our lives and witness to others we bring His Bread, His Light, reveal His Door, are guiding Shepherds, have the resurrection life within us and show the Way, speak the Truth and are all part of the Vine which is Christ. We come in our Father's Name. When we take on His name, we are showing who we are.

**I AM WHO I AM
The Bread of life, I AM
I AM WHO I AM
The Light of the World, I AM.**

**This is My Name forever
This is My Memorial
To all the generations.**

**I AM WHO I AM
The Door of the sheep, I AM
I AM WHO I AM
The Good shepherd I AM.**

**This is My Name forever
This is My Memorial
To all the generations.**

**I AM the Resurrection and the Life
I AM the Way, the Truth, the Light
The True Vine.**

**I will dwell in them
And walk among them
I will be their God
And they shall be My people**

I AM come in My Father's Name.

**Exodus 3:14
John 6
Also, John 8 and 9
John 12:35-50**

Exodus 3:14

John 10

**John 11
John 14
John 15**

**Lev 26:12
Jer 32:37-41
Ezek 37:26-28
2 Cor 6:16**

John 5:43

Virgin Snow

Snow falling snow quietly falls through the dim light
Down to this world virgin snow, virgin snow

Down on my knees before God my Father
Seeking a heart pure as snow, virgin snow

Pride, no more pride nor deceit must exist here
Since Jesus Christ humbly came for me

This is the time fill my heart with all of You Lord
For I must be pure as snow, virgin snow.

The Threshing Floor (Ruth 3:3)

Jesus heals and Jesus delivers but we must remember that he also tells us to take up our cross. Carrying the cross was a humiliating act, it was the very thing that Christ would eventually be nailed to, an act of sacrifice beyond the world's comprehension of kingship. Afterwards He was the Victor - resurrected from death - but His struggle to Calvary was misunderstood and despised. We too are tested through trial. God allows this in our lives to test our commitment to put all our trust in Him despite our struggles; in this we glorify Him. So do not despise the cross and do not despise others for being weighed down by their cross. Get under the cross with them and reach out in faith for Christ, He will deliver the Strength needed to go on till you, and those you love, reach the final goal.

**When sufferance rests upon a soul
Tinged with a fear of the unknown
Rain lashes out from
the world's darkened clouds
Drowning your heart in emotion.**

**So wash and anoint yourself
Put on your best garment
Go down to the threshing floor
If you are seeking the Bridegroom**

**We are all called to be holy and pure
Without a spot or a blemish
Only through trial can the heart endure
When faith in Christ has been tested.**

**So wash and anoint yourself
Put on your best garment
Go down to the threshing floor
If you are seeking the Bridegroom.**

**We must be tested on the threshing floor
Persistently shaken through the sifting bowl
Striving to enter through the narrow door
Never to faint as Christ is our support.**

**So wash and anoint yourself
Put on your best garment
Go down to the threshing floor
If you are seeking the Bridegroom.**

2 Cor 1:3-10

Ruth 3:3

Also, 1 John 3:2-3

1 Pet 1:15-16, 22

Lev 11:44-45

1 Thess 4:7-8

2 Pet 3:14

Luke 13:24

Rev 3:10-12

Also,

1 Chron 21

1 Chron 22

2 Chron 3

Ecc 9:8

Amos 9:9

Heb 2:10

Heb 5:8-9

The Dove

This song is purely scripture. The words navigate through verses that describe the dove, which ultimately is symbolic of the Holy Spirit Who dwells within the hearts of all who have sought Christ's saving power with a repentant heart. If we are led of His Spirit we are transformed both individually and collectively into His bride (church). If we follow Christ as an adoring bride, we then bring forth a pure fruit which is pleasing to Him. The Seed is in the fruit so in turn, all who eat of that fruit are blessed and also receive of His saving power. And so the family grows....

SCRIPTURE	LYRICS
<i>Psalm 55 : 6-7</i>	If I had the wings of a dove I'd fly away and be at rest Yes, I would wander far away To live in the wilderness.
<i>Song of Songs 6:9</i>	<i>His undefiled and His perfect one</i>
<i>Song of Songs 2:14</i>	<i>Who stands alone above them all</i> <i>She is His dove and He her solid Rock</i> <i>Her face and voice He has sought.</i>
<i>Matthew 3:11,16,17</i>	See the Spirit of God descended Out of heaven like a dove Resting on His Beloved Son So also thus upon His bride
<i>Genesis 8:8-11</i>	And Noah sent forth a dove To find a resting place She returned unto the ark In her mouth was an olive leaf.
<i>Isaiah 55:11</i>	And so shall His Word go forth Out of the mouth of God Not returning void, it accomplishes All that is the will of God.
<i>Further Scriptures of relevance: -</i> <i>Genesis 24, Galatians 5:16-26,</i> <i>Ephesians 5:26-27, Titus 2:14, Titus 3:5-7</i>	

The Lord's Prayer (Matt 6:9-13)

**Our Father
Who art in the heavens
Sanctified be Thy Name.
Let Thy Kingdom come
Let Thy Will be done
As in Heaven so also upon the earth.
Give us Today our Needed Bread
And forgive us our debts
As also we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation
But deliver us from evil
For Thine is the Kingdom
And the Power and the Glory
To the ages
Ages
Amen**

The Mercy Seat was the only piece of 'furniture' in the tabernacle that was made from solid gold and nothing else. The other pieces were usually made from wood encased in gold except for the candlesticks which, although solid gold, still needed a wick. The description of the Mercy Seat delivers a beautiful metaphor of the relationship between Saviour and saint.

Please read **Rom 3:24-26** and **Heb 9**.

The Mercy Seat (Exodus 25:17-22)

God said unto Moses
Upon Mount Sinai
You shall make a mercy seat
And make it from pure gold
You shall make two cherubim
Of solid hammered gold
They shall sit at either end
Be one piece overall.

For they shall be of one piece
As they spread their wings above
Covering the mercy seat
And facing each other
Looking down toward
The mercy seat where you shall put
The mercy seat upon the ark
The ark of testimony.

In the ark you shall put
The testimony that I will give you.

There I will meet with you
And from above the mercy seat
From between the two cherubim
That are upon the ark of the testimony
I will speak intimately with you
Of all which I will give you
In commandment to the Israelites.

The Tabernacle

I had a dream, wherein I walked
Into a truthful place of God
Encircling about me was
Redemption's face to call me forth.

Into Your Tabernacle Lord
I seek Your Spirit now
To transform me unto Your way
And give mine all to thee
And give mine all to thee.

But no 'tis not a dream I see
Because of what Christ did for me
His sacrifice has shown to me
That from my sins I must take leave.

Into Your Tabernacle Lord
I seek Your Spirit now
To transform me unto Your way
And give mine all to thee
And give mine all to thee.

Scriptures to read;

Amos 9:11
Heb 9:24-28