
I AM with You

All is well, Child. All is well
Mercy has overtaken you
Grace found you where you fell
Love has bound your wounds
Peace now lingers, covers all
And calm remains.

Always I AM with you
Whether sun or storm, grief and loss
Or times of joy and gladness
In tortures or in smiles
Through danger, fear, and trials
I AM
with you.

You have many questions
Think "If I just knew why"
Answers, though, are silent
Your heart pleads toward the sky
And I
AM with you.

You want justice to be known
Your innocence exclaim
What you get is accusation
Heaviness of blame
And I AM
with you.

Long you fought to make wrong right
Far you've come in vain
Misunderstood, cast to the night
Stand cold there in the rain
And I AM
with you.

Broken, bleeding, dying trying
Face calamity
End of hope and end of strength
Resigned you'll not be free
And I
AM with you.

Long the trying of your faith
Proclaims "Abandoned!" clear
And you accept in agony
This life of death drawn near
I AM
with you.

The trial long, how can you last
Existing just to breathe?
Decision died in hopelessness
Or hope deferred, time-wreathed
I AM
with you.

When, in time, the scars are old
And life grows loose in flesh
The fire-tried faith is strongest, most
The Spirit calm and fresh
And we
are One.

Welcome home.

