

## Out in the wilderness

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when the Spir - it says, "Go," you can't say, "No."  
 though you try to be strong, it's been so long.  
 you are far . . . from home where wild things roam.  
 When you were . . . bap - tized, you re - a - lized

F B<sup>7</sup> B<sup>7</sup>(b5)/F

You lis - ten for the voice when you're bend - ed low;  
 He whis - pers in your ear and you know he's wrong;  
 There's dan - ger ev - 'ry - where but you're not a - lone;  
 you'd heard the voice of God from the o - p'ning skies:

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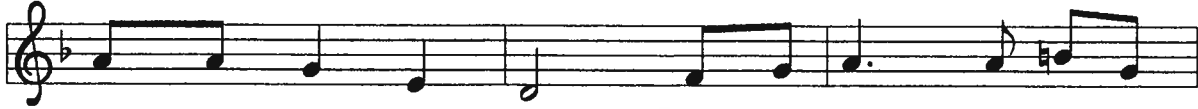
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## Tree of Life and Awesome Mystery



1 Tree of Life and awe - some mys - t'ry, in your  
 2 We re - mem - ber truth once spo - ken, love passed  
 3 Christ, you lead and we shall fol - low, stum - bling



death we are re - born; though you die in all of  
 on through act and word; ev - 'ry per - son lost and  
 though our steps may be; one with you in joy and



his - t'ry, still you rise with ev - 'ry morn, still you  
 bro - ken wears the bod - y of our Lord, wears the  
 sor - row, we the riv - er, you the sea, we the



rise with ev - 'ry morn.  
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*One of the following may be sung as the final stanza at the appropriate time.*

*General*

Light of life beyond conceiving,  
 mighty Spirit of our Lord;  
 give new strength to our believing,  
 give us faith to live your word.

*Lent 1*

From the dawning of creation  
 you have loved us as your own;  
 stay with us through all temptation,  
 make us turn to you alone.

*Lent 2*

In our call to be a blessing,  
 may we be a blessing true;  
 may we live and die confessing  
 Christ as Lord of all we do.

*Lent 3*

Living Water of salvation,  
 be the fountain of each soul;  
 springing up in new creation,  
 flow in us and make us whole.

*Lent 4*

Give us eyes to see you clearly;  
 make us children of your light.  
 Give us hearts to live more nearly  
 as your gospel shining bright.

*Lent 5*

God of all our fear and sorrow,  
 God who lives beyond our death,  
 hold us close through each tomorrow,  
 love as near as ev'ry breath.

# The church song

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*Refrain*

A B E Esus E A B E Esus E

We are the church, the bo - dy of our Lord;

A B E C#m A B<sup>7</sup> E

we are all God's chil - dren. We have been re - stored.

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1 The church is not a build - ing  
 2 You can go to wor - ship  
 3 The church is not a busi - ness,  
 4 The church, it is the peo - ple

where peo - ple go to pray;  
 but you can - not go to church;  
 a com - mit - tee or a board;  
 liv - ing out their lives,

it's not made out of sticks and stones,  
 you can't find a build - ing that's a - live  
 it's not a cor - por - a - tion for  
 called, en - light - ened, sanc - ti - fied

E<sup>7</sup> *Refrain*

it's not made out of clay.  
 no mat - ter how you search.  
 the busi - ness of the Lord.  
 for the work of Je - sus Christ.