

# Glorious Things

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1. Glor - ious things of thee are spo - ken, Zi - on, ci - ty of our God;  
 2. See the stream of liv - ing wa - ters, Spring - ing from ce - les - tial love,  
 3. Round each ha - bi - ta - tion hov - ring, See the cloud and fire ap - pear!  
 4. Blessed in - ha - bi - tants of Zi - on, Pur - chased with the Sa - vior's blood!  
 5. Sa - vior, since of Zi - on's ci - ty I through grace a mem - ber am,

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He whose word can - not be bro - ken, Chose thee for his own a - bode:  
 Well sup - ply thy sons and daugh - ters, And all fear of drought re - move:  
 For a glo - ry and a cov - 'ring, Show - ing that the Lord is near:  
 Je - sus whom their souls re - ly on, Makes them kings and priests to God.  
 Though the world de - spise and pi - ty, I will glo - ry in thy name.

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On the rock of E - noch foun - ded; What can shake thy sure re - pose?  
 Who can faint, while such a ri - ver E - ver flows their thirst t'as - suage?  
 Thus der - iv - ing from their ban - ner, Light by night and shade by day;  
 While in love his peo - ple rai - ses, With him - self to reign as kings;  
 Fa - ding are all world - ly trea - sures, With their boast - ed pomp and show!

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With sal - va - tion's wall sur - roun - ded, Thou may'st smile on all thy foes.  
 Grace which like the Lord, the gi - ver, Ne - ver fails from age to age.  
 Sweet - ly they en - joy the Spir - it, Which He gives them when they pray.  
 All, as priests, his so - lemn prai - ses, Each for a thank of - fring brings.  
 Heav - 'nly joys and last - ing plea - sures None but Zi - on's child - ren know.

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