



CHURCH HYMNAL

“A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD”

TEXT: Martin Luther (*1529*)

Psalm 46, 1 Peter 5:8

(V1-4)

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Verse 1

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing
Our helper He, amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing:
For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe
His craft and power are great, and armed with cruel hate
On earth is not his equal

Verse 2

Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing
Were not the right Man on our side, the Man of God's own choosing:
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He
Lord Sabaoth, His Name, from age to age the same
And He must win the battle

Verse 3

And though this world, with devils filled, should threaten to undo us
We will not fear, for God hath willed His truth to triumph through us:

The Prince of Darkness grim, we tremble not for him

His rage we can endure, for lo, his doom is sure

One little word shall fell him

Verse 4

That word above all earthly powers, no thanks to them, abideth
The Spirit and the gifts are ours through Him Who with us sideth:

Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also

The body they may kill: God's truth abideth still

His kingdom is forever