

Hymn 88

I Have Found a Friend in Jesus

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E *A* *E*
I have found a friend in Jesus, He's everything to me

E *B*
He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul

E *A* *E*
The Lily of the Valley, in Him alone I see

B *E*
All I need to cleanse and make me fully whole

A *E*
In sorrow He's my comfort, in trouble He's my stay

E *B*
He tells me every care on Him to roll

E *A* *E*
The Lily of the Valley, the bright and Morning Star

B *E*
He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul

He— all my grief has taken, and all my sorrows borne (*E A E*)

In temptation He's my strong and mighty tower (*E B*)

I have all for Him forsaken, and all my idols torn (*E A E*)

From my heart, and now He keeps me by His power (*B E*)

Though all the world forsake me, and Satan tempts me sore (*A E*)

Through Jesus I shall safely reach the goal (*E B*)

He will never, never leave me, nor yet forsake me here (*E A E*)

While I live by faith and do His blessed will (*E B*)

A— wall of fire about me, I've nothing now to fear (*E A E*)

With His manna He my hungry soul shall fill (*B E*)

Then sweeping up to glory to see His blessed face (*A E*)

Where rivers of delight shall ever roll (*E B*)