

Hymn 357

Encamped Along the Hills of Light (Faith is the Victory)

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E *B* *E*
Encamped along the hills of light, Ye Christian soldiers, rise
E *B* *E*
And press the battle ere the night shall veil the glowing skies
B *E* *B* *F#* *B*
Against the foe in vales below let all our strength be hurled
E *A* *E* *B* *E*
Faith is the victory, we know, that overcomes the world

E *B*
Faith is the victory! (Faith is the victory!)
B *E*
Faith is the victory! (Faith is the victory!)
A *E*
Oh, glorious victory
B *E*
That overcomes the world

His banner over us is love, our sword the Word of God (*E B E*)
We tread the road the saints above with shouts of triumph trod (*E B E*)
By faith they, like a whirlwind's breath, swept on o'er every field (*B E B F# B*)
The faith by which they conquered death is still our shining shield (*E A E B E*)

To him who overcomes the foe white raiment shall be giv'n (*E B E*)
Before the angels he shall know His name confessed in heav'n (*E B E*)
Then onward from the hills of light, our hearts with love aflame (*B E B F# B*)
We'll vanquish all the hosts of night In Jesus' conquering name (*E A E B E*)