

# Eternal Life

*"If you keep my commandments and endure to the end you shall have eternal life, which gift is the greatest of all the gifts of God." — Doctrine and Covenants 14:7*

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*Confidently*



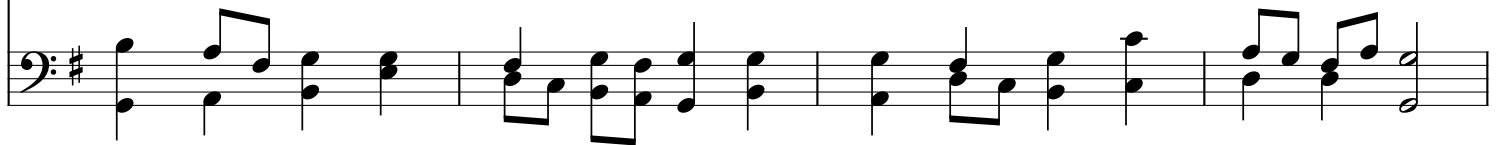
1. Have you pon-dered where you're go - ing, Whence you've come, or why you're here?  
2. We can - not in life be per - fect, Yet we can each day pro-gress.  
3. Long be - fore the Fall in E - den, God our Fa - ther had a plan—  
4. More than an - y world - ly pleas-ure, Life e - ter - nal I would own.



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Have you won-dered who cre - at - ed Friends and stran-gers far and near?  
Learn - ing to in - crease our tal - ents, God will ev - 'ry ef - fort bless.  
He would turn this first trans-gres-sion For the good and joy of man.  
Right-eous ef - fort, con - se - cra - tion, These are seeds that must be sown,



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God, the Fa - ther of Cre - a - tion, Is the au - thor of the plan,  
Those who seek to hide their tal - ents Will not gain the great - er prize,  
Through the gift of Christ, our Sav - ior, He would man - i - fest his love.  
Till that morn - ing, when in beau - ty, All God's plan will be re - vealed,



And his work of ex - al - ta - tion Is the rea - son it be - gan.  
 But e - ter - nal life is giv - en To the faith - ful and the wise.  
 This re - demp - tion was pre - sent - ed In the coun - cil up a - bove.  
 And this mor - tal life of prov - ing Will to life e - ter - nal yield.

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Doctrine and Covenants 14:7

Proverbs 4:26

Mosiah 4:9

Moses 1:39

2 Nephi 2:25

Abraham 3:22–26

Romans 3:23

Matthew 25:14–30

John 3:16