

# God Loved the World

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God loved the world so that He gave  
His only Son, the lost to save  
That all who would in Him believe  
Should everlasting life receive.

Christ Jesus is the ground of faith,  
Who was made flesh and suffered death;  
All that confide in Him alone  
Are built on this chief cornerstone.

God would not have the sinner die,  
His Son with saving grace is nigh,  
His Spirit in the Word doth teach  
How man the blessed goal may reach.

Be of good cheer, for God's own Son  
Forgives all sins which you have done;  
And justified by Jesus' blood;  
Your baptism grants the highest good.

Glory to God the Father, Son,  
And Holy Spirit, Three in One!  
To You, Oh blessed Trinity,  
Be praise now and eternally!

**Bible Verse:** For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16 NIV