

# Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense

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Jesus Christ, my sure Defense,  
And my Savior, now is living!  
Knowing this, my confidence,  
Rests upon the hope here given  
Though the night of death be fraught,  
Still with many an anxious thought.

Jesus, my Redeemer, lives;  
Likewise I to life shall waken.  
He will bring me where He is;  
Shall my courage then be shaken?  
Shall I fear, or could the head,  
Rise and leave his members dead?

Then these eyes my Lord will know,  
My Redeemer and my Brother;  
In His love my soul will glow,  
I myself and not another!  
Then the weakness I feel here,  
Will forever disappear.

Oh, then, draw away your hearts  
From all pleasures base and hollow,  
Strive to share what He imparts  
While you here His footsteps follow,  
As you now still wait to rise,  
Fix you hearts beyond the skies.

**Bible Verse:** God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1 ESV