

# How firm a foundation

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Music: Richard Simpkin

C C C C

How firm a foun - da - tion, you saints of the Lord, is\_  
In\_ eve - ry con - di - tion - in sick - ness and health, in\_  
Fear not, I am with you, O be not dis - mayed! I,\_  
When through fie - ry tri - als your path - way shall lie, my  
The soul that on Je - sus has leaned for re - pose, I\_

C Am F G Am

laid for your faith in his ex - cel - lent word! What more can he  
po - ver - ty's vale or a - bound - ing in wealth; at home or a -  
I am your God and will still give you aid: I'll strength - en you,  
grace all - suf - fic - ient shall be your sup - ply; the flame shall not  
will not, I can - not, de - sert to his foes; that soul, though all

G F G

say to you than he has said - you,  
broad, on the land, on the sea, as\_  
help you, and cause you to stand, up -  
hurt you; I on - ly de - sign your  
Hell should en - dea - vour to shake, I'll\_

C F G C

who un - to Je - sus for re - fuge have fled?  
days may de - mand, shall your strength ev - er be.  
held by my right - eous, om - ni - po - tent hand.  
dross to con - sume, and your gold to re - fine.  
ne - ver, no, ne - ver, no, ne - ver for - sake!