

Amazing Grace

2 Corinthians 12:9–10 | Moroni 10:32–33

♩ = 76–92

1. A maz - ing grace— how sweet the sound— That
 2. The Lord has prom - ised good to me; His
 3. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares I

saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but
 word my hope se - cures. He will my shield and
 have al - read - y come. His grace has brought me

now am found, Was blind, but now I see.
 por - tion be As long as life en - dures.
 safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.

This beloved hymn reminds us of Nephi's anguished cry: "O wretched man that I am!" Then, remembering the Lord's mercy, Nephi added, "My soul will rejoice in thee, my God" (2 Nephi 4:17, 30). The text of this hymn was included in an early hymnbook of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1841.

Text: John Newton, 1779

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