

The Hands Of men & The Hand Of GOD



*2 Thessalonians
1:7-10*

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Bible Study! Nazareth;

Matthew 2:19–22, Luke 4:16–30

1 Peter 2:2 *(NKJV)* as newborn babes, **desire** the pure milk of **the word**, that you may **grow** thereby,

1 Peter 3:15

But **sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and always be ready to give a defense** to everyone who asks you a reason for the hope that is in you, with meekness and fear;

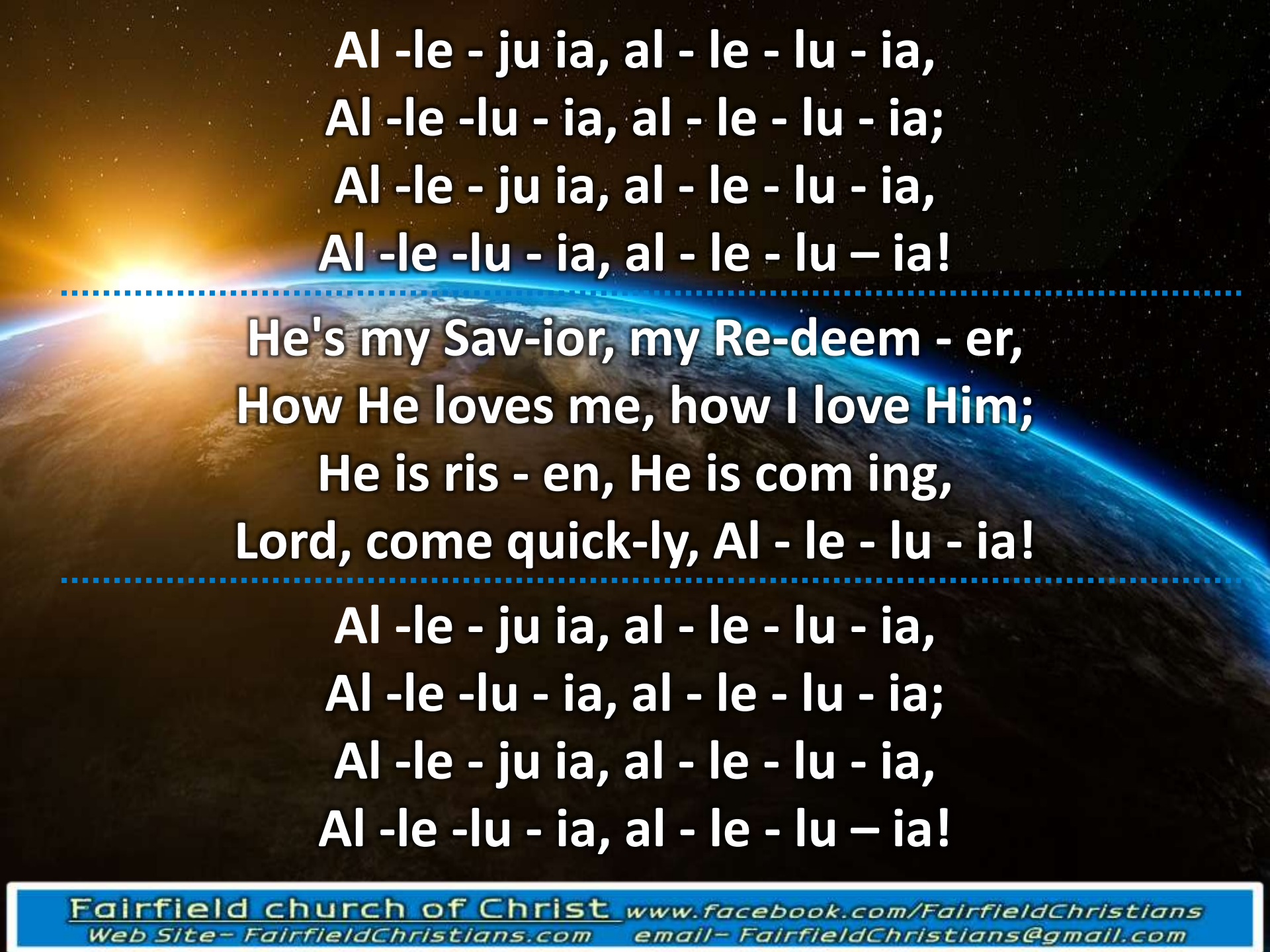
Romans

10:17

So then **faith comes by** hearing, and hearing by **the word of God**.

Hebrews 5:14

But **solid food** belongs to those who are of full age, that is, those who by reason of **use** have their senses **exercised** to **discern** both good and evil.



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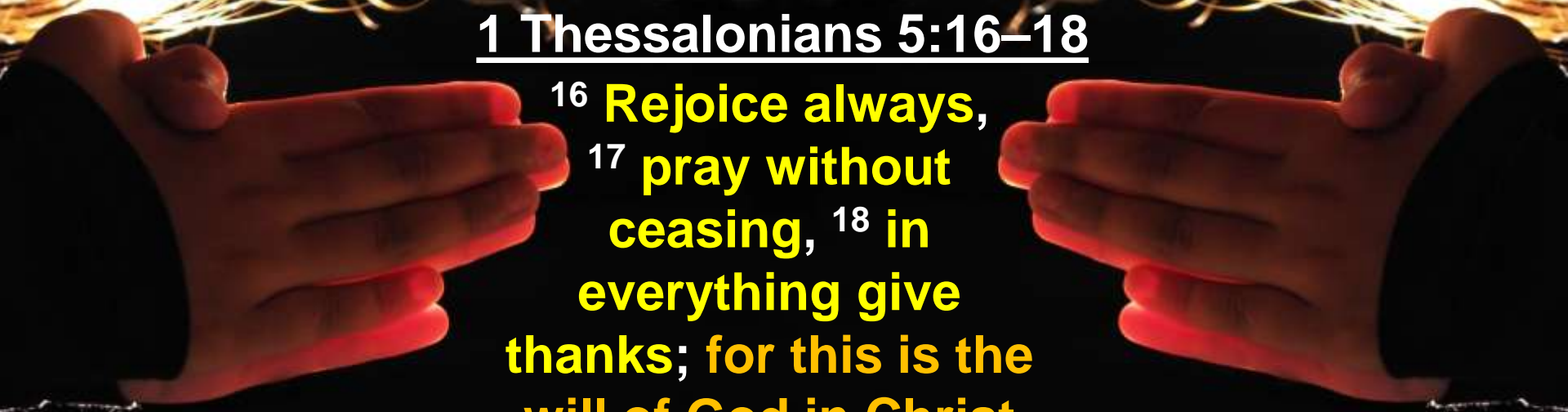
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1 Thessalonians 5:16–18



¹⁶ Rejoice always,
¹⁷ pray without
ceasing, ¹⁸ in
everything give
thanks; for this is the
will of God in Christ
Jesus for you.

Philippians 4:6–7

Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

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Matthew 26:26-28 (NKJV) [26] And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to the disciples and said, "Take, eat; this is My body." Luke 22:19 *"This is My body which is*



given for you; do this in remembrance of Me." [27]

Then He took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you.

[28] "For this is My blood of the new covenant, which is shed for many for the remission of sins.

1 Corinthians 11:25-26 ..*"This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."* [26] For

as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes.

Acts 2:42 .And **they continued steadfastly** in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in **the breaking of bread**, and in prayers.

Acts 20:7.. **on the first day of the week,** when the disciples came together to **break bread,..**



1 Corinthians 16:2

On the first day of every week each one of you is to put aside and save, as he may prosper, so that no collections be made when I come.



2 Corinthians 9:6-7

⁶ Now this *I say*, he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. ⁷ Each one *must do* just as he has purposed in his heart, not grudgingly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

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2 Thessalonians 1:6–10 ⁶ since it is a righteous thing with God to repay with tribulation those who trouble you, ⁷ and to give you who are troubled rest with us when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with His mighty angels, ⁸ in flaming fire taking vengeance on those who do not know God, and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁹ These shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of His power, ¹⁰ when He comes, in that Day, to be glorified in His saints and to be admired among all those who believe, because our testimony among you was believed.

The Hands Of men – Herod, Herodias, & her daughter

(NKJV)

Matthew 14:3–8

³ For **Herod** had laid hold of **John** and bound **him**, and put **him** in prison for the sake of **Herodias**, his brother Philip's wife.

⁵ ..**he** wanted to put him to death..

⁶ But when **Herod's** birthday was celebrated, **the daughter of Herodias** danced before **them** and pleased **Herod**.

⁷ Therefore **he** promised with an oath to give her whatever she might ask.

⁸ So **she**, having been prompted by **her mother**, said, "Give me **John the Baptist's** head here on a platter."

The Hands Of men – the people, elders, scribes, the council, Saul, & chief priest (NKJV)

Acts 7:54, 57, 58 ⁵⁴ When **they** (*the people, elders, scribes, the Council & the Chief Priest*) heard these things **they** were cut to the heart, and **they** gnashed at him with their teeth.

⁵⁷ Then **they** cried out with a loud voice, stopped their ears, and ran at **him** (*Stephen*) with one accord;

⁵⁸ and **they** cast **him** out of the city and stoned **him**. And the witnesses laid down their clothes at the feet of a young man named **Saul**.

Acts 12:1–2

1 Now about that time **Herod** the king stretched out **his** hand to harass **some** from the church.

2 Then he killed **James** the brother of John with the sword.

3 And because **he** saw that it pleased **the Jews**...

1 Peter 2:23–24

²³ ..when **He** was reviled, did not revile in return; when **He** suffered, **He** did not threaten, but committed Himself to **Him** who judges righteously;

²⁴ who **Himself** bore **our** sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness—**by** whose stripes **you** were healed.

The Hands Of men –

The crowd, men, chief priests, & me

(NKJV)

Luke 23:20–23

²⁰ **Pilate**, therefore, wishing to release **Jesus**, again called out to **them**. ²¹ But **they** shouted, saying, **“Crucify Him, crucify Him!”** ²² Then he said to **them** the third time, “Why, what evil has He done? I have found no reason for death in Him. I will therefore chastise Him and let Him go.” ²³ But **they** were insistent, demanding with loud voices that **He** be crucified. And the voices of **these men and of the chief priests** prevailed.

The Hands Of men – Pilate, the crowd, & me

(NKJV)

Mark 15:15 So **Pilate**, ..delivered **Jesus**, after **he** had scourged **Him**, to be crucified.

Matthew 27:46–50 ²⁹ ..**they** had twisted a crown of thorns, they put it on His head, ..³⁰ ..**they** spat on **Him**, and took the reed and struck **Him** on the head.³⁵ ..**they** crucified **Him**, and divided **His** garments, ..⁴⁶ ..about the ninth hour **Jesus** cried out with a loud voice, saying, “Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani?” that is, “My God, My God, why have You forsaken **Me**?”⁵⁰ And **Jesus** cried out again with a loud voice, and yielded up **His** spirit.

The Hands Of men – me?

& those who do not obey the gospel (NKJV)

2 Thessalonians 1:7–9

7 ..when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with His mighty angels,
8 in flaming fire taking vengeance on those who do not know God, and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. **9 These shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of His power,**

The Hand Of God Is John The Baptist (NKJV)

Luke 3:19 But Herod the tetrarch, being rebuked by him concerning Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, and for all the evils which Herod had done, Matthew 14:3–4 ..Herod had laid hold of John and bound him, and put him in prison for the sake of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife. ⁴ ..John had said to him, "It is not lawful for you to have her."

The Hand Of God Is Stephen (NKJV)

Acts 7:54–56, 59-60

⁵⁵ But **he** (*Stephen*), being full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God, ⁵⁶ and said, “Look! I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!” ⁵⁹ And they stoned Stephen as **he** was calling on God and saying, “Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.” ⁶⁰ Then **he** knelt down and cried out with a loud voice, “Lord, do not charge them with this sin.” And when he had said this, **he** fell asleep.

Matthew 20:22

But Jesus answered and said, “You do not know what you ask. Are you (James & John) able to drink the cup that I am about to drink, and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?” They said to Him, “We are able.”

John 18:37

Pilate therefore said to **Him**, “Are You a king then?” **Jesus** answered, “You say rightly that I am a king. For this cause I was born, and for this cause I have come into the world, that I should bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears My voice.”

Mark 16:5–6

⁵ And entering the tomb, they saw a young man clothed in a long white robe sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. ⁶ But he said to them, “Do not be alarmed. You seek **Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. **He is risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid Him.****

The Hand Of God Is Jesus (NKJV)

Acts 1:9–11

⁹ ..while they watched, He was taken up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight.

¹⁰ And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel,

¹¹ who also said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven.”

2 Thessalonians 1:7, 10

**⁷ and to give you who are troubled rest with us when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with His mighty angels,
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Mark 1:15 and saying, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel.”
(Acts 2:38, Mark 16:16)

Matthew 10:32 “Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven.
(Romans 10:10, Acts 8:35-38)

Mark 16:16 He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned.
(Acts 2:38, 8:35-38, 22:16, 1 Pet 3:21, Gal 3:26-28, Col 2:12)

Ephesians 2:8–10

8 For by grace **you** have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God,

9 not of works, lest anyone should boast.

10 For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that **we** should walk in them.

Romans 8:37–39


37 Yet in all these things **we** are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. **38 For** I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, **39** nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate **us** from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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our song shall rise to Thee;**

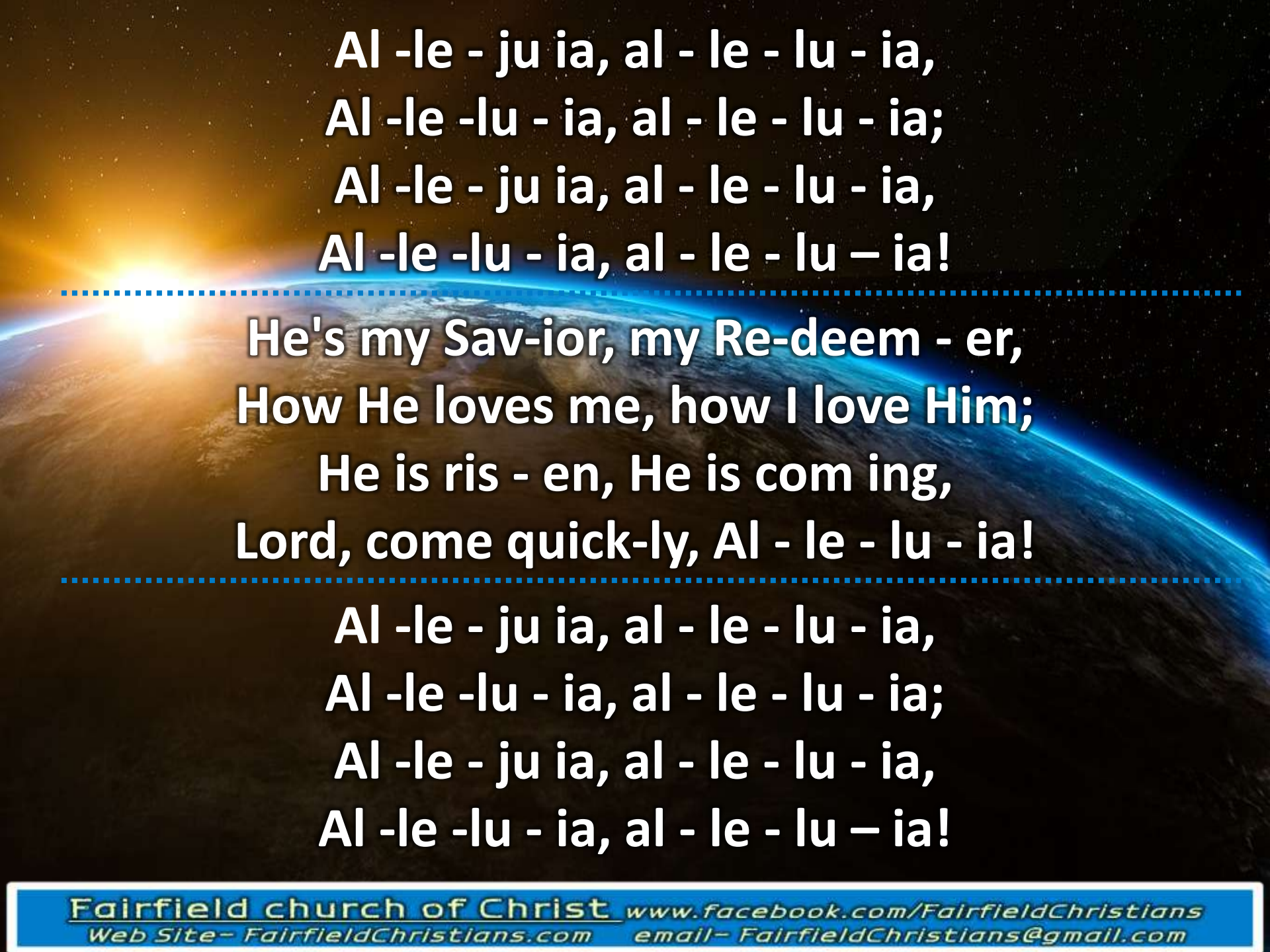
**Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
God over all, and blest eternally.**

**Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore Thee,
casting down their golden crowns-
around the crystal sea;
cherubim and seraphim, falling down before Thee,
Who wast, and art, and evermore shalt be.**



**All glory and praise
to the Lamb that was slain,
Who has borne all our sins,
And has cleansed every stain.**


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**We praise Thee, O God,
For the Son of Thy love,
For Jesus who died and
Is now gone above.**

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All Thy works shall praise Thy name,-
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