

All I Have is Christ

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English Lyrics	Plain English	Bible reference (NIV/NIRV)
I once was lost in darkest night, yet thought I knew the way. The sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave.	I thought I knew the way, but I was lost. I thought that going my own selfish way would make me happy, but my selfish choices led to death.	There is a way that seems right to a man, but in the end it leads to death. – Proverbs 14:12/16:25
I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your will. And if You had not loved me first, I would refuse You still.	There was no reason to hope that I could become God's child. I was God's enemy. God loved me when I did not love God.	. . . when we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son. . . – Romans 5:10 We love because he first loved us. – 1 John 4:19
But as I ran my hell-bound race, indifferent to the cost	I was running towards a place of darkness and death forever, but I didn't care.	And the LORD God commanded the man, “You are free to eat from any tree in the garden; but you must not eat from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, for when you eat of it you will surely die.” – Genesis 2:16 For the wages of sin is death . . . – Romans 6:23
you looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross.	I wasn't able to save myself. God introduced me to his Son Jesus.	You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. – Romans 5:6
And I beheld God’s love displayed.	I saw God's love displayed in Jesus.	Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous man, though for a good man someone might possibly dare to die. But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. – Romans 5:7-8

<p>You suffered in my place.</p>	<p>Jesus suffered for my wrong actions.</p>	<p>All of us are like sheep. We have wandered away from God. All of us have turned to our own way. And the LORD has placed on his servant the sins of all of us. – Isaiah 53:6</p>
<p>You bore the wrath reserved for me.</p>	<p>God had a right to be very angry with me for the wrong things I did. But God punished his Son Jesus instead of me. Jesus carried my shame away on the cross.</p>	<p>He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree . . . – 1 Peter 2:24</p>
<p>Now all I know is grace.</p>	<p>God gave me a free gift that I did not earn.</p>	<p>For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith – and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God – not by works, so that no one can boast. – Ephesians 2:8-9</p>
<p>Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.</p> <p>Now, Lord, I would be Yours alone, and live so all might see.</p>	<p>Praise God! Jesus is all I have. Jesus is my life.</p> <p>God, I want to be yours. I want to live so everyone can see.</p>	<p>But you are . . . a people belonging to God, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. – 1 Peter 2:9</p>
<p>The strength to follow Your commands could never come from me.</p>	<p>When I do good, it is not my own accomplishment. God's Holy Spirit helps me.</p>	<p>. . . for it is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purpose. – Philippians 2:13</p>
<p>Oh Father, use my ransomed life in any way You choose.</p>	<p>Father God, you paid for my life. Use my life however you want to.</p>	<p>You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body. – 1 Corinthians 6:19-20</p>
<p>And let my song forever be: My only boast is You.</p>	<p>Let me always sing, “I will not boast about myself. I will boast about Jesus.”</p>	<p>May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ . . . – Galatians 6:14</p>