

## CROWNS

Music and Lyrics  
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I HAVE READ IT IN THE GOOD BOOK  
THAT THE SAINTS SHALL SEE REWARD  
FOR THE FAITH AND LOVE THAT FLOWS OUT OF THEIR LIVES

THERE IS PROMISE TO RECEIVE THE CROWNS  
THAT NEVER FADE AWAY  
FOR THE ONE WHO RUNS TO WIN THERE IS THE PRIZE

I CAN PICTURE IN MY MIND OF A GREAT AND GLORIOUS DAY  
WHEN THE RACE HAS BEEN RUN

WHEN AT LAST I STAND BEFORE THE THRONE OF GRACE  
AND MY EYES BEHOLD MY SAVIOUR FACE-TO FACE  
MY ONLY HOPE AND DEEPEST PRAYER  
AT HIS FEET AS I BOW DOWN  
IS TO LAY DOWN ALL MY CROWNS

THERE ARE CROWNS OF LIFE AND CROWNS OF JOY  
AND ONES OF RIGHTEOUSNESS  
SHINING EMBLEMS OF A KINGDOM WE PROCLAIM

YET THERE'S ONE THAT STANDS ABOVE THE REST  
THAT A MAN'S ALREADY WORN  
FASHIONED FROM THE THORNS OF SACRIFICE AND SHAME

PRECIOUS BLOOD UPON HIS BROW  
STAINED A VISAGE FULLED WITH PAIN  
YET A KING THERE WAS CROWNED, AND....

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