

BE A SOLDIER

WHEN THE NIGHT GETS LONG AND TROUBLED
AND THE DARKNESS CLOSES IN
YOU BETTER REACH OUT FOR THE WORD OF GOD
AND FEED THE MAN WITHIN
THERE ARE NIGHTMARES IN THE DARKNESS
THE ENEMY PROWLs AROUND
BETTER ARM YOURSELF, BE STRONG MY FRIEND
AND WHEN IT ALL COMES TUMBLING DOWN

BE A SOLDIER. BE A SOLDIER OF THE LORD

YOU DON'T JUST STEP INTO THE BATTLE
LIKE A CHILD INTO THE NIGHT
GOTTA LEARN TO PUT ON YOUR ARMOR
IF YOU'RE GONNA FIGHT IN THIS FIGHT
WE'VE LOST SOME ALONG THE WAY
I KNOW WE'LL LOOSE SOME MORE
BUT ARM IN ARM, PRAYER FOR PRAYER
WE'RE GONNA FIGHT TO EVEN THE SCORE

BE A SOLDIER BE, A SOLDIER
BE A SOLDIER, A SOLDIER FOR THE LORD

OUR WEAPONS OF WAR AREN'T CARNAL
THEY'RE MIGHTY IN THE LORD
STAND STRONG IN HOLY ARMOR
LET THE WORD OF GOD BE YOUR SWORD
IF YOU STUMBLE ASK FORGIVENESS
GET BACK ON YOUR FEET AGAIN
IF WE'RE GONNA RUN THIS RACE, MY FRIEND
LET US RUN THIS RACE TO WIN

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STAND FAST THEREFORE IN THE LIBERTY BY WHICH
CHRIST HAS MADE US FREE, AND DO NOT BE ENTANGLED
AGAIN WITH THE YOLK OF BONDAGE

YOU THEREFORE MUST ENDURE HARDSHIP, AS A GOOD
SOLDIER OF JESUS CHRIST. NO ONE ENGAGED IN WARFARE

ENTANGLES HIMSELF WITH THE AFFAIRS OF THIS LIFE: THAT HE MAY PLEASE HIM
THAT HAS CHOSEN HIM TO BE A SOLDIER