

### **I WILL SING OF MY REDEEMER** - (G) 479; all 3

I will sing of my Redeemer and His wondrous love to me;  
on the cruel cross He suffered, from the curse to set me free.  
Sing, O sing of my Redeemer! With His blood He purchased me:  
on the cross He sealed my pardon, paid the debt, and made me free.

I will tell the wondrous story, how my lost estate to save,  
in His boundless love and mercy, He the ransom freely gave.  
I will praise my dear Redeemer; His triumphant power I'll tell:  
how the victory He gives me over sin and death and hell.

I will sing of my Redeemer and His heavenly love for me;  
He from death to life has brought me, Son of God, with Him to be.  
Sing, O sing of my Redeemer! With His blood He purchased me;  
on the cross He sealed my pardon, paid the debt, and made me free.

Text: Philip P. Bliss Tune: Rowland H. Prichard Church CCLI License #133103

### **BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD ABOVE**

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea,  
a great High Priest Whose name is Love,  
Who ever lives and pleads for me.  
My name is written on His hands, my name is written on His heart;  
I know that while in heaven He stands  
no tongue can bid me thence depart,  
no tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair and tells me of the guilt within,  
upward I look and see Him there Who made an end of all my sin.  
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free;  
for God the Just is satisfied  
to look on Him and pardon me,  
to look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there! The risen Lamb, my perfect spotless righteousness;  
the great unchangeable "I AM," the King of glory and of grace!  
One with Himself I cannot die, my soul is purchased by His blood;  
my life is hid with Christ on high,  
with Christ, my Savior and my God, with Christ, my Savior and my God.  
One with Himself I cannot die, my soul is purchased by His blood;  
my life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ, my Savior and my God,  
with Christ, my Savior and my God, with Christ, my Savior and my God.

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### **WONDERFUL, MERCIFUL SAVIOR**

Wonderful, merciful Savior, precious Redeemer and Friend;  
who would have thought that a Lamb could rescue the souls of men?  
Oh, You rescue the souls of men.

Counselor, Comforter, Keeper, Spirit we long to embrace;  
You offer hope when our hearts have hopelessly lost the way,  
oh, we hopelessly lost the way.

**Chorus:** You are the One that we praise, You are the One we adore;  
You give the healing and grace our hearts always hunger for,  
oh, our hearts always hunger for.

Almighty, Infinite Father, faithfully loving Your own;  
here in our weakness You find us falling before Your throne,  
oh, we're falling before Your throne. **Chorus 2x**

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### **REDEEMED** - (B) 521; all 4

Redeemed, how I love to proclaim it!  
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb;  
Redeemed through His infinite mercy,  
His child, forever I am.

**Refrain:** Redeemed, redeemed,  
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb;  
Redeemed, redeemed, His child, forever, I am.

Redeemed and so happy in Jesus,  
No language my rapture can tell;  
I know that the light of His presence  
With me doth continually dwell. **Refrain**

I think of my blessed Redeemer,  
I think of Him all the day long;  
I sing, for I cannot be silent;  
His love is the theme of my song. **Refrain**

I know I shall see in His beauty  
the King in whose law I delight;  
Who lovingly guardeth my footsteps,  
and giveth me songs in the night. **Refrain**

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## ROCK OF AGES

There is no rock, there is no god like our God.  
No other name worthy of all our praise.  
The rock of salvation that cannot be moved,  
He's proven Himself to be faithful and true.  
There is no rock, there is no god like ours.

Rock of Ages, Jesus is the Rock.  
Rock of Ages, Jesus is the Rock.  
Rock of Ages, Jesus is the Rock.  
There is no rock, there is no god like ours. **Repeat All**

There is no rock, there is no god like ours.  
There is no rock, there is no god like ours.

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## *Welcome to Our Evening Worship Service*

*Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023*

*6:00 PM*

### WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude  
Welcome  
Call to Worship  
Opening Prayer  
\*Opening Song of Praise  
    *"I Will Sing of My Redeemer"* (G) 479; all 3  
\*God's Greeting  
Responsive Reading of the Law: As a Teacher of Sin (G) 1016  
\*Song of Faith  
    *"Before the Throne of God Above"*

Prayer Requests & Time of Prayer  
Offering: Rehoboth Christian School  
Offertory: Reagan Mulder  
\*Song of Preparation  
    *"Wonderful, Merciful Savior"*

### WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Belgic Confession – Article 23 (G) 839  
Scripture: 2 Corinthians 5:16-6:2 (p. 1148)  
Sermon: **"Freed from Fear"**  
Prayer of Application  
\*Song of Application  
    *"Redeemed"* (B) 521; all 4

### WE LEAVE TO SERVE

\*Benediction  
\*Closing Song  
    *"Rock of Ages"*  
\*Postlude

**Preaching:** Pastor Dave Vander Meulen  
**Piano:** Heidi Veldstra **Guitar:** John Welch  
**Praise Team:** Bill & LeeAnn Bergwerff, Heidi Veldstra  
**\*Please stand if able (G) denotes gray hymnal in pew racks  
(B) blue songbooks under pews**