

#5 THE SINNER

My friends in **Christ**, I need to say
What is on **my heart** today
About the message we are to give
To those that are lost in the lives they live.

Of those who study **His Holy Word**,
A lifestyle that seems to be so absurd
To a world that surely doesn't know
That with this commitment we truly grow.

To be indwelled with the **Holy Spirit**
And seek **His truth**, so we can hear it
Within our minds and in our souls.
Then we will know for whom the bell tolls.

It's to spread the gospel, and in our way
Show the world how to live day by day,
And to prove that surely once and for all
That we can recover after we fall.

Because we all know that it will happen.
But sin is not a reason to dampen
Our spirit and turn to self-condemnation.
We know in Jesus Christ is our salvation.

We know that when we stay in daily repentance
That **He** won't give us that **dreaded death sentence**
Of being forever *without* the presence of **God**
And be sent to the **Lake of Fire** to **trod**.

For **all eternity, the lost** will be made
To look for some kind of **Holy shade**;
Unlike those of us who will live for certain
In a heaven **FULL** of **LOVE** and no more hurtin,

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While remembering the life on earth they spent
And **cursing God** as their only vent.
It's all too late and oh so sad
The wondrous life they could have had.

For warnings were given many a time
To those against **God** who were committing a crime.
If only they'd have believed in their hardened hearts.
It wouldn't have been so hard if they'd done their part.

All that **He** asked was that they **just turn** around
And see the redemption that they could have found.
For **God** would have **joyfully forgiven** their sin
If they would have **only listened** to **Him** !!!

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