

# How Firm a Foundation

Lyrics from Rippon's  
Selection of Hymns, 1787

Traditional American Melody

♩ = 80

## INTRO

G D/F# C/E G/D C D

3 G D/F# C/E G/D C D

How\_\_\_\_  
Fear\_\_\_\_  
When\_\_\_\_  
When\_\_\_\_

## VERSE

5 G C G D

firm a foun - da - tion you saints of the Lord, is\_\_\_\_  
not, I am with you, O be not dis - mayed for\_\_\_\_  
through the deep wa - ters I call you to go, the\_\_\_\_  
through fi - ery tri - als your path - way shall lie, my\_\_\_\_

7 G C G D G

laid for your faith in His ex - cel - lent Word! What  
I am your God and will still give you aid; I'll  
riv - ers of sor - row shall not ov - er - flow; for  
grace all suf - fi - cent shall be your sup - ply; the

9 G D/F# Em G D

more can He say than to you He has said to\_\_\_\_  
streng - then you, help you and cause you to stand up -  
I will be with you, your trou - bles to bless, and\_\_\_\_  
flame shall not hurt you, I on - ly de - sign your\_\_\_\_

11 G C G G D

you who for re - fue to Je - sus have  
 held by my right - eous, om - ni - po - tent  
 sanc - ti - fy to you your deep - est dis -  
 dross to con - sume and your gold to re -

1.2.3. *Back to Bar 5 (Verse)*

13 G D/F# C/E G/D C D

fled? Fear  
 hand. When  
 tress. When

4.

G D/F# C/E G/D C D

fine.

G D/F# C/E G/D C D G