#### COVENANT HYMN

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#### Verse 1

Wherever you go, I will follow; wherever you live is my home. Though days be of blessing or sorrow, though house be of canvas or stone. Though Eden be lost to the past, though mountains before us be vast, Wherever you go, I am with you. I never will leave you alone.

#### Verse 2

Whatever your dream, I am with you; when stars call your name in the night. Though shadows and mist cloud the future, together we bear there a light. Like Abram and Sarah, we stand with only a promise in hand; But lead where you dream, I will follow. To dream with you is my delight.

#### Verse 3

And though you should fall, you will find me when no other friend can you claim. Though foes beat you down or betray you, and others desert you in shame; When home and dreams aren't enough, and you run away from my love, I'll raise you from where you have fallen, for "Faithful to You" is my name.

#### Verse 4

Wherever you die, I will be there to sing you to sleep with a psalm. To soothe you with tales of our journey, your fears and your doubts I will calm. We'll live, when journeys are done, forever in mem'ry as one, And we will be buried together, and waken to greet a new dawn.

#### Verse 5

Wherever you go I will follow. Behold, the horizon shines clear. The possible gleams like a city, together we've nothing to fear. So speak with words bold and true the message my heart speaks to you. You won't be alone, I have promised; Wherever you go I am here.

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## REFLECTIONS ON "COVENANT HYMN"

1. How does this song touch you?

2. How does this song challenge you?

3. How does this song inspire you?

# REFLECTION ON GOD'S COVENANT "COVENANT HYMN"

(Second Hearing)

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1. How does hearing this song, as God's promise to you as a couple, touch you?
2. How does hearing this song, as God's promise to you, add to your understanding of Covenant?
3. How does hearing this song, as God's promise to you as a couple, affect your view of your marriage?

### **HOMEWORK**

Reflect on the meaning of the vows you exchanged at your wedding in light of your experience and your current understanding of a covenant commitment. Share that understanding with your spouse. As an experiment, attempt to re-write your marriage vows to reflect your current understanding of your covenant commitment. Share your re-written vows with each other and explain their meaning for each of you. If you feel comfortable, plan an opportunity to renew your promises to each other using the re-written vows you have created.