

Build on the Rock

Franklin Belden, 1886.

We'll build on the rock, the living Rock,  
On Jesus, the Rock of Ages;  
So shall we abide the fearful shock,  
When loud the tempest rages.

Refrain

We'll build on the Rock,  
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We'll build on the Rock, on the solid Rock,  
On Christ, the mighty Rock.

Some build on the sinking sands of life,  
On visions of earthly treasure;  
Some build on the waves of sin and strife,  
Of fame, and worldly pleasure.

Refrain

O build on the Rock, for ever sure,  
The firm and the true foundation;  
Its hope is the hope which shall endure,  
The hope of our salvation.

Refrain