

The Shadow of the Rock

Words: Fanny Crosby (1820-1915).

Music: Ira Sankey (1840-1908).

Lead to the shadow of the Rock of Refuge  
My weary feet;  
Give me the water from the life-stream flowing  
Clear, pure and sweet.

Refrain

There from the billows and the tempest hiding,  
Under the shelter of Thy love abiding,  
Safe in the shadow of the "Rock of Ages,"  
Joy shall be mine!

Lead to the shadow of the Rock Eternal  
My heart oppressed;  
There in the secret of Thy holy presence,  
Calm shall I rest.

Refrain

Lead to the shadow of the Rock of Ages;  
Oh, keep Thou me  
Safe from the arrows of the world's temptations,  
Close, close to Thee!

Refrain