

(Topics and Lead-in Below)

The Gift of Your Spirit

TUNE: Loch Lomond

C⁷ F C^{sus}/_F B^b F

1. I walk thro' this world in my dark - ness and fear.
2. I reach and I wor - ry, I strug - gle and strain.
3. Come fill all I am, turn my wa - ter to wine.
4. I praise You, Lord Je - sus, my Sav - ior, my Friend.

C⁷ F E/A B^b B^b/_C B^b/_D G^{m7}/_E F

Je - sus, give me the light of Your Spir - it.
Je - sus, give me the peace of Your Spir - it.
Je - sus, make me like You thro' Your Spir - it.
You are giv - ing the gift of Your Spir - it!

C/E D^m D^{m7} A^m B^b G^m/_D G^{m7}/_D G^m/_{B^b}

I know that You love me. I know that You are near.
You call me to come and to rest in You a - gain.
As I live, Lord, in You as a branch is in the vine,
I'm walk - ing each day in the joy that nev - er ends.

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LOCH LOMOND
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C⁷ F B \flat $\frac{E}{C}$ C⁷_{sus} C F

I will walk in the light of Your Spir - it.
 I will walk in the peace of Your Spir - it.
 I'm be - com - ing like You thro' Your Spir - it.
 Praise to You for the gift of Your Spir - it!

TOPICS: Holy Spirit; Faith; Holiness; Living in Christ; Peace in Christ

LEAD-IN: *I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor to be with you forever—the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you. I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. (John 14:16-18, NIV)*

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

Walking in the Spirit

*Since we live by the Spirit,
let us keep in step with the Spirit.*
(Galatians 5:25, NIV)

All of us want to live a better life. But more than that, we want to be better, from the inside out.

How can we do that? There are numerous resolutions we could make or disciplines we could try to impose on ourselves. But all are partial and rely on our own wisdom and willpower.

Only one resolution is adequate for being better: let us keep in step with the Spirit. It covers every aspect of living.

He provides the wisdom. He provides the power.

He simply asks that we learn to trust Him, that we be willing to set aside our own agendas and follow Him, step-by-step. It's a natural, person-to-person process, like walking with a friend.

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