

Hymns for Father's Day 2020

("Manly yes, but I like them too!")

VU #651 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,
pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but thou art mighty,
hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
feed me till I want no more;
feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,
whence the healing stream doth flow;
let the fire and cloudy pillar
lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer,
be thou still my strength and shield;
be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
bid my anxious fears subside;
death of death, and hell's destruction,
land me safe on Canaan's side:
songs of praises, songs of praises
I will ever give to thee; I will ever give to thee

VU #675 "Will Your Anchor Hold" (vs 3 is added)

Will your anchor hold in the storms of life?
When the clouds unfold their wings of strife,
when the strong tides lift and the cables strain,
will your anchor drift or firm remain?

**We have an anchor that keeps the soul
steadfast and sure while the billows roll,
fastened to the rock which cannot move,
grounded firm and deep in the Saviour's love!**

It will surely hold in the straits of fear,
when the breakers tell that the reef is near,
though the tempest rave and the wild winds blow,
not an angry wave shall our bark o'erflow. **We have, etc.**

Will your anchor hold in the storms of life,
like a father's love and a father's might,
with a father's faith and a father's grace?
May your anchor keep you in surest place. **We have, etc.**

When our eyes behold, through the gathering night,
the city of gold, our harbour bright,
we shall anchor fast by the heavenly shore,
with the storms all past for evermore. **We have, etc.**