

Living Hope

(based on the recording by Phil Wickham)

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♩=72

INTRO

A D² A D²

1. How great the

VERSE 1

5 A E^{sus} D² F#m⁷

cha - sm that lay be - tween - us. How high the moun - tain I could not

8 E^{sus} A E^{sus}

climb. In des - per - a - tion I turned to heav - en and spoke Your

11 D² E^{sus} A D²

name in - to the night. - Then through the dark - ness Your lov - ing -

14 A F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾

-kind - ness tore through the shad - ows of my soul. The work is

17 A E^{sus} D² E^{sus} A

fin - ished, the end is writ - ten. Je - sus Christ, my liv - ing hope.

VERSE 2

21 D^2 A E^{sus}

2. Who could im - ag - ine so great a mer - cy? What heart could

24 D^2 $F\#m^7$ E^{sus} A

fath - om such bound - less grace? The God of ag - es stepped down from

27 E^{sus} D^2 E^{sus} A

glo - ry to wear my sin and bear — my shame. The cross has

30 D^2 A $F\#m^7$ $E^{(4)}$

spo - ken; I am for - giv - en. The King of kings calls me His own. Beau - ti - ful

34 A E^{sus} D^2 E^{sus}

Sav - ior, I'm Yours for - ev - er. Je - sus Christ, my liv - ing

CHORUS

37 A D^2 A E $F\#m^7$

hope. Hal - le - lu - jah, praise the One who set me free! Hal - le -

40 D^2 A E $F\#m^7$ D^2 A

-lu - jah, death has lost its grip on me! You have bro - ken ev - 'ry chain. There's sal -

43 E F#m7 A/E D2 E^{sus} E 1. A 2. A

-va-tion in Your name. Je-sus Christ, my liv - ing hope. Hal - le- hope.

VERSE 3

47 A E^{sus}

3. Then came the morn - ing that sealed the prom - ise, Your bur - ied

50 D2 F#m7 E^{sus} A

bod - y be - gan to breathe. Out of the si - lence, the Roar - ing

53 E^{sus} D2 E^{sus} A

Li - on de-clared the grave has no claim - on - me. Then came the

56 A E^{sus} D2 F#m7

morn - ing that sealed the prom - ise, Your bur - ied bod - y be - gan to

59 E^{sus} A E^{sus}

breathe. Out of the si - lence, the Roar - ing Li - on de-clared the

62 D2 E^{sus} F#m A/C# D2 A/E E

grave has no claim - on - me. Je - sus, Yours is the vic - to -

CHORUS

65 A D² A
 -ry! Whoa. _____ Hal - le - lu - jah, praise the
 (2nd x sing cues)

68 E F#m⁷ D² A E F#m⁷
 One who set me free! Hal - le - lu - jah, death has lost its grip on me! You have

71 D² A E F#m⁷ A/E D² E^{sus} E
 bro - ken ev - 'ry chain. There's sal - va - tion in Your name. Je - sus Christ, my liv - ing

ENDING

74 1. A 2. F#m A/C# D² E^{sus} E
 hope. _____ Hal - le - hope. Je - sus Christ, my liv - ing

77 F#m A/C# A/E D² A/E E A
 hope. _____ O God, - You are my liv - ing _____ hope.