

GET STIRRED UP

Go with the Flow

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47 Then he brought me back to the door of the temple; and there was water, flowing from under the threshold of the temple toward the east, for the front of the temple faced east; the water was flowing from under the right side of the temple, south of the altar.

Ezekiel 47:1-12

² He brought me out by way of the north gate, and led me around on the outside to the outer gateway that faces east; and there was water, running out on the right side.

³ And when the man went out to the east with the line in his hand, he measured one thousand cubits, and he brought me through the waters; the water came up to my ankles.

⁴ Again he measured one thousand and brought me through the waters; the water came up to my knees. Again he measured one thousand and brought me through; the water came up to my waist.

⁵ Again he measured one thousand, and it was a river that I could not cross; for the water was too deep, water in which one must swim, a river that could not be crossed.

⁶ He said to me, “Son of man, have you seen this?” Then he brought me and returned me to the bank of the river.

7 When I returned, there, along the bank of the river, were very many trees on one side and the other.

⁸ Then he said to me: “This water flows toward the eastern region, goes down into the valley, and enters the sea. When it reaches the sea, its waters are healed.

9 And it shall be that every living thing that moves, wherever the rivers go, will live. There will be a very great multitude of fish, because these waters go there; for they will be healed, and everything will live wherever the river goes.

¹⁰ It shall be that fishermen will stand by it from En Gedi to En Eglaim; they will be places for spreading their nets. Their fish will be of the same kinds as the fish of the Great Sea, exceedingly many.

¹¹ But its swamps and marshes will not be healed; they will be given over to salt.

¹² Along the bank of the river, on this side and that, will grow all kinds of trees used for food; their leaves will not wither, and their fruit will not fail. They will bear fruit every month, because their water flows from the sanctuary. Their fruit will be for food, and their leaves for medicine.”

²⁸ And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose.

Romans 8:28

**Yearning for God in the Midst of
Distresses To the Chief Musician. A
Contemplation of the Sons of Korah.**

Psalm 42

¹ As the deer pants for the water brooks,
So pants my soul for You, O God.

**² My soul thirsts for God, for the living
God. When shall I come and appear
before God?**

³ My tears have been my food day and night, While they continually say to me,
“Where is your God?”

⁴ When I remember these things, I pour out my soul within me. For I used to go with the multitude; I went with them to the house of God, With the voice of joy and praise, With a multitude that kept a pilgrim feast.

⁵ Why are you cast down, O my soul? And why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God, for I shall yet praise Him For the help of His countenance.

⁶ O my God, my soul is cast down within me; Therefore I will remember You from the land of the Jordan, And from the heights of Hermon, From the Hill Mizar.

⁷ Deep calls unto deep at the noise of
Your waterfalls; All Your waves and
billows have gone over me.

**⁸ The LORD will command His
lovingkindness in the daytime, And in the
night His song shall be with me— A prayer
to the God of my life.**

⁹ I will say to God my Rock, “Why have You forgotten me? Why do I go mourning because of the oppression of the enemy?”

¹⁰ As with a breaking of my bones, My enemies reproach me, While they say to me all day long, “Where is your God?”

¹¹ Why are you cast down, O my soul? And why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God; For I shall yet praise Him, The help of my countenance and my God.

**23 Stir up Yourself, and awake to my
vindication, To my cause, my God and my
Lord.**

Psalm 35:23

24 And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works,

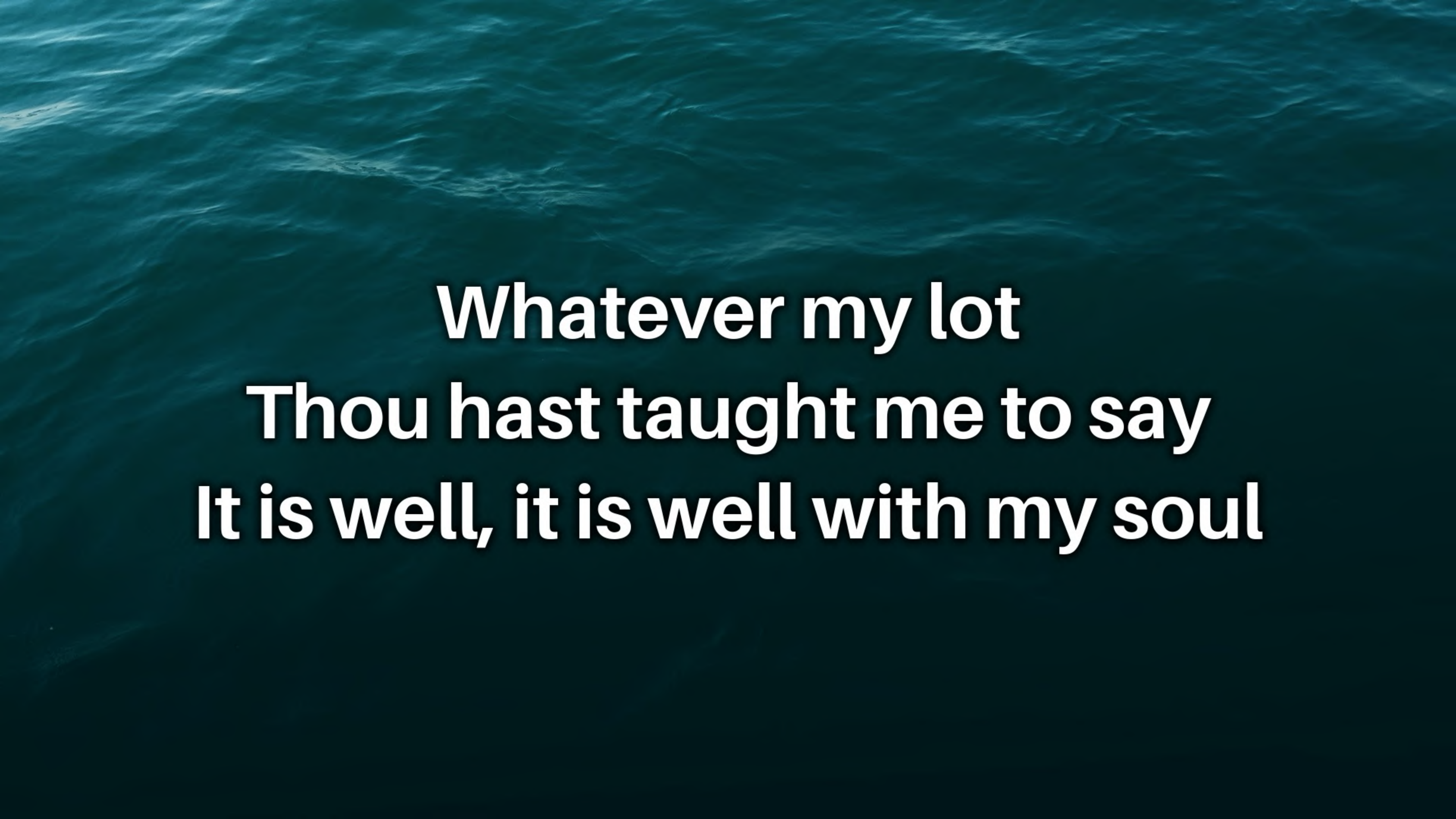
Hebrews 10:24



When peace like a river

Attendeth my way

When sorrows like sea billows roll



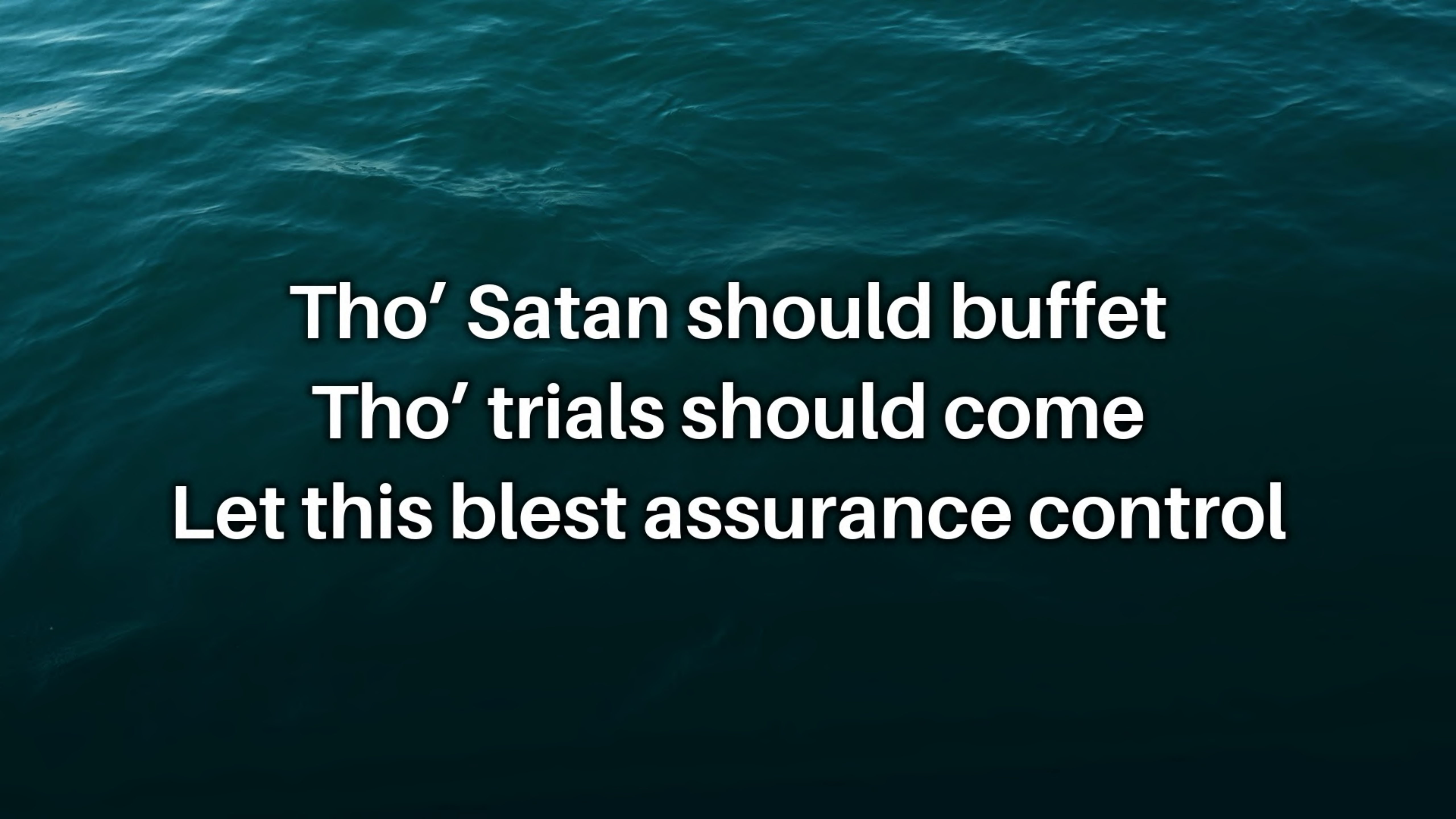
**Whatever my lot
Thou hast taught me to say
It is well, it is well with my soul**



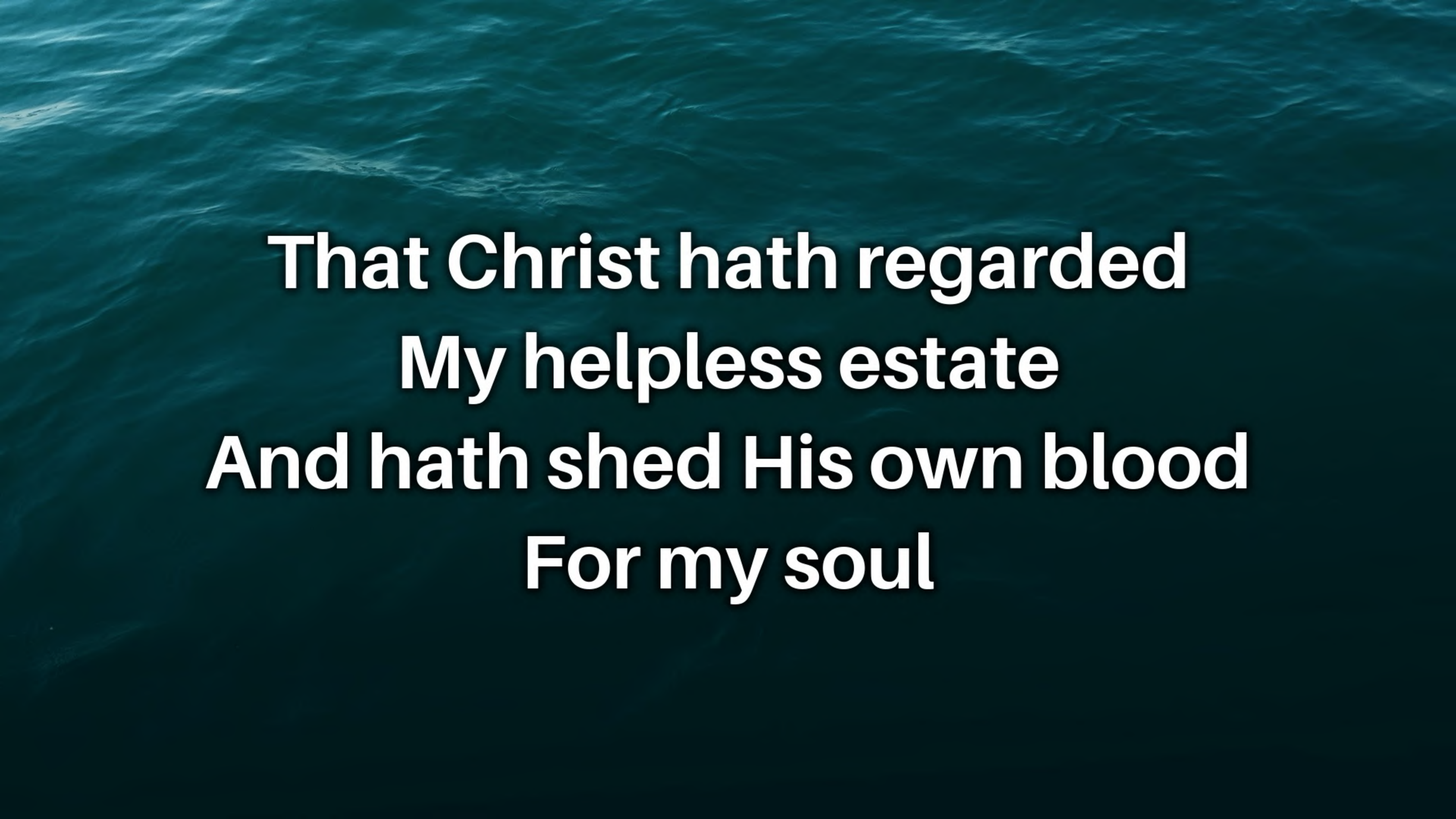
It is well with my soul

It is well

It is well with my soul



**Tho' Satan should buffet
Tho' trials should come
Let this blest assurance control**



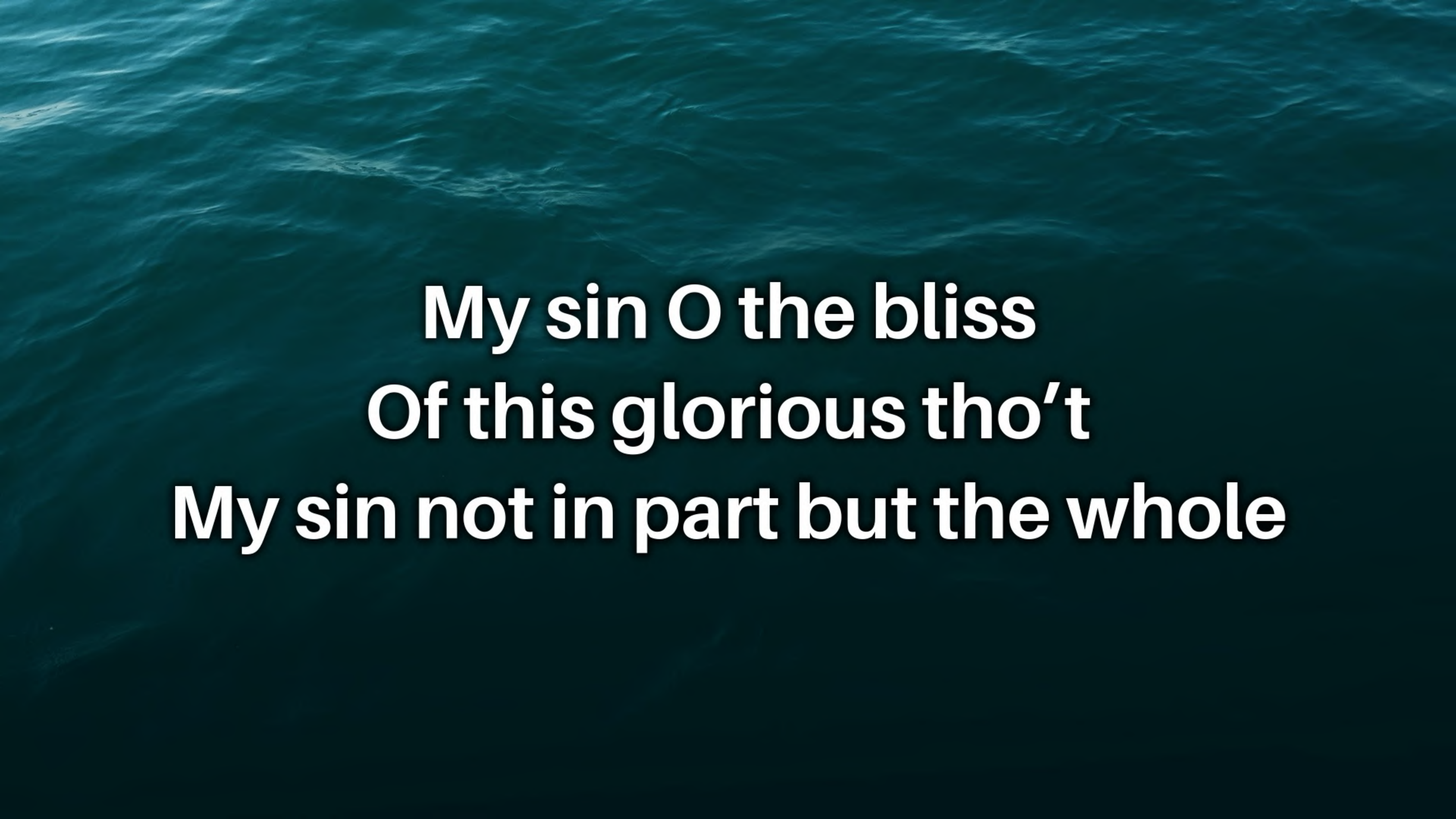
**That Christ hath regarded
My helpless estate
And hath shed His own blood
For my soul**



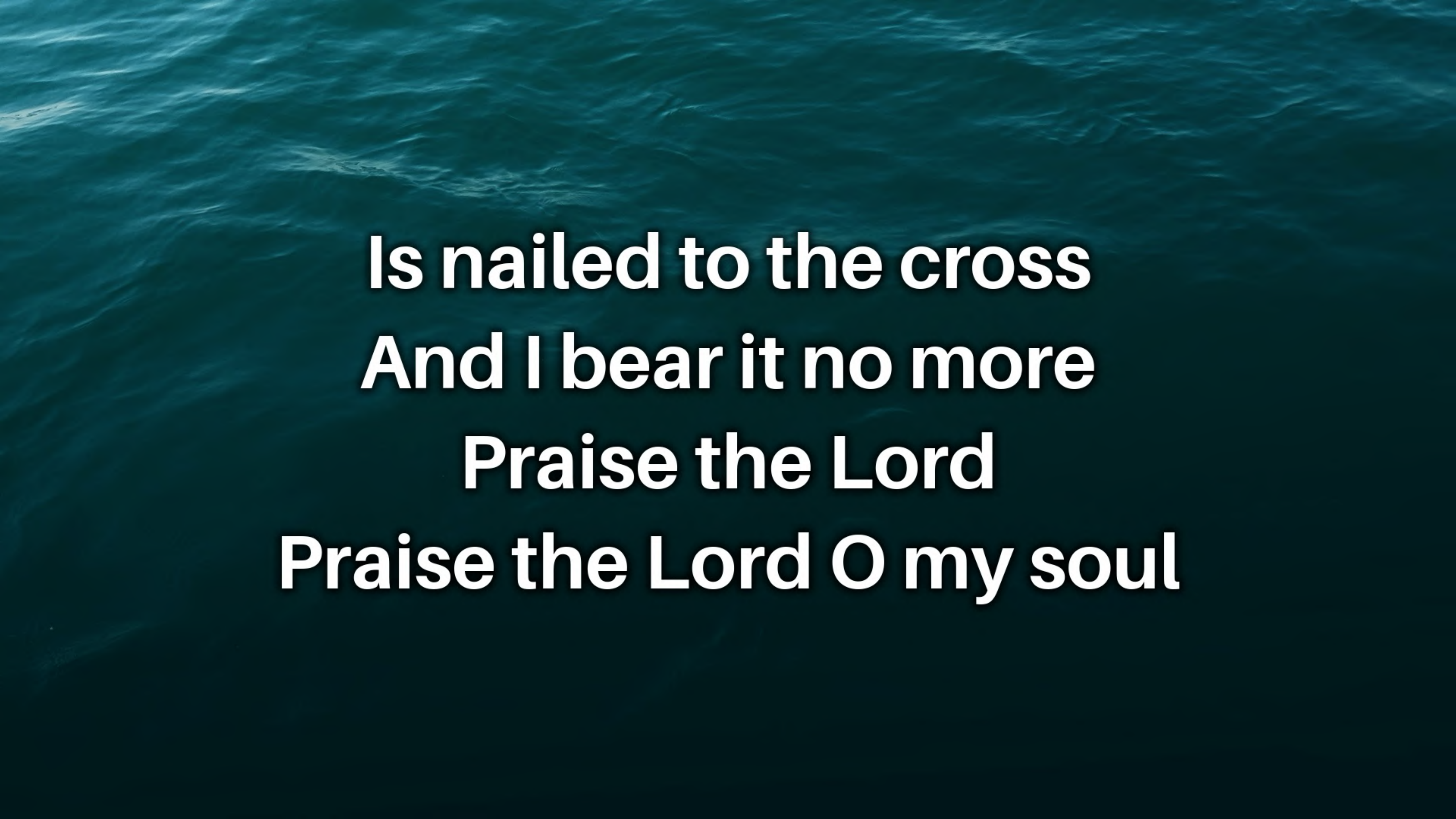
It is well with my soul

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**My sin O the bliss
Of this glorious tho't
My sin not in part but the whole**



**Is nailed to the cross
And I bear it no more
Praise the Lord
Praise the Lord O my soul**



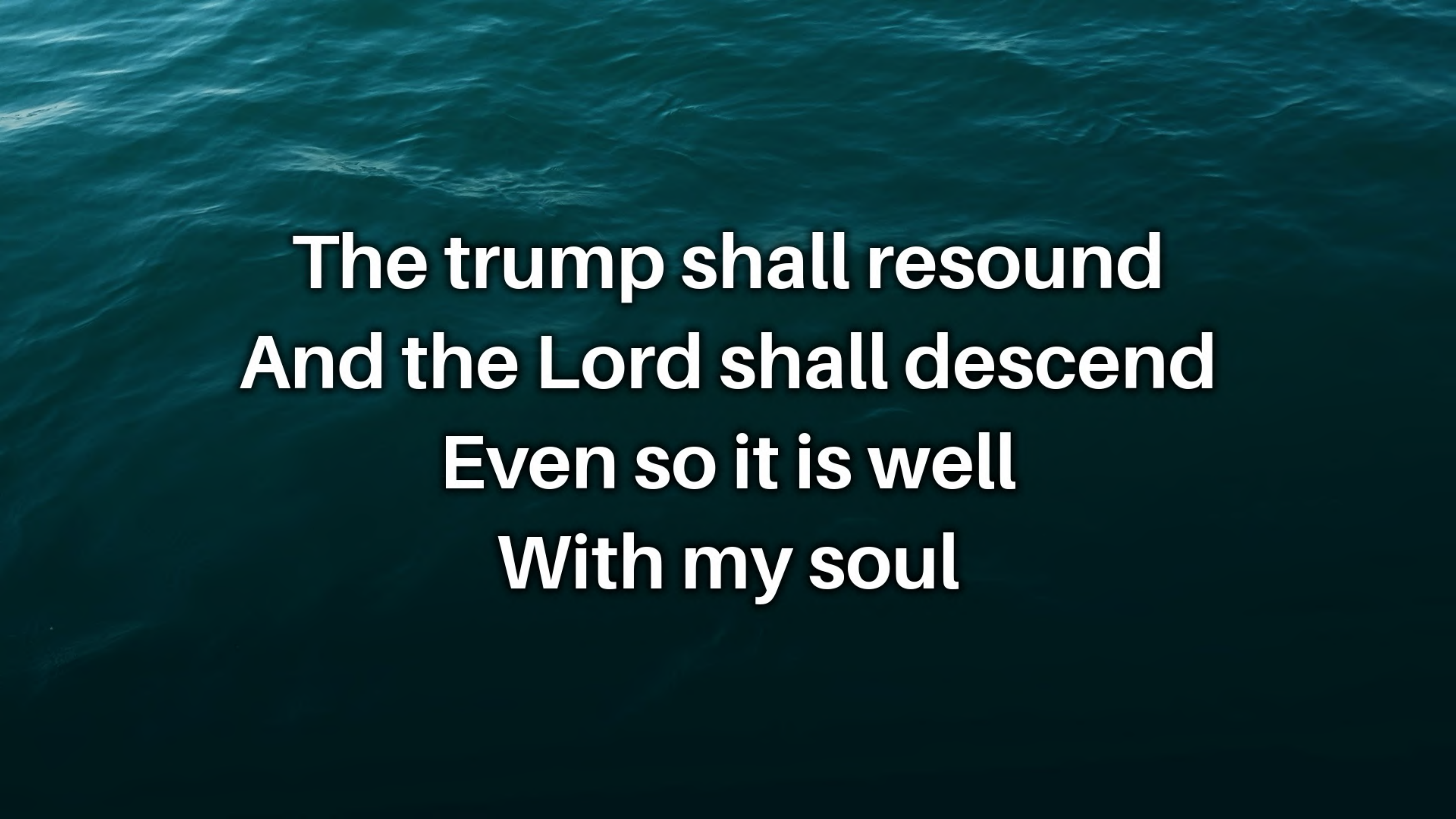
It is well with my soul

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**And Lord haste the day
When the faith shall be sight
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll**



**The trump shall resound
And the Lord shall descend
Even so it is well
With my soul**



It is well with my soul

It is well

It is well with my soul