

# Were It Not for Grace

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Time measured out my days, life carried me along  
In my soul I yearned to follow God but knew I'd never be so strong  
I looked hard at this world to learn how Heaven could be gained  
Just to end where I began, where human effort is all in vain  
Wandered down some pointless road to nowhere  
With my salvation up to me, I know how that would go  
The battles I would face forever running but losing the race  
Were it not for grace  
So here is all my praise expressed with all my heart  
Offered to the Friend who took my place and ran a course I could not start  
And when He saw in full just how much His love would cost  
He still went the final mile between me and Heaven so I would not be lost  
Wandered down some pointless road to nowhere  
With my salvation up to me and I know how that would go  
The battles I would face forever running but losing the race  
Were it not for grace  
Forever running but losing this race  
Were it not for grace

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