The Transfiguration

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When He took the three disciples

To the mountainside to pray
His countenance was modified
His clothing was aflameTwo men appeared, Moses and Elijah came
They were at His side
The prophecy, the legislation spoke of
Whenever He would dieThen there came a word
Of what He should accomplish on the day

Then Peter spoke

To make of them a tabernacle placeA cloud appeared in glory as an accolade

They fell on the ground

A voice arrived, the voice of God

The face of God, covered in a cloudWhat He said to them
The voice of God, the most beloved Son
Consider what He says to you

Consider what's to comeThe prophecy was put to death
Was put to death and so will the Son
And keep your word, disguise the vision

Have no fear, we draw near
Lost in the cloud, a sign
Son of man, turn your earLost in the cloud, a voice
Lamb of God, we draw near
Lost in the cloud, a sign
Son of man, Son of God

'Til the time has comeLost in the cloud, a voice

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