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220 【教會惟一的根基】

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(一) 教會惟一的根基，是主耶穌基督；祂用道中水洗滌，成新造無玷污。主為她從天降世，買她作祂新婦；為她流血并受死，賜她生命永福。

(二) 教會選召自萬民，全地却是一體；一主、一信、并一浸，是她救恩憑依；享受同一的天糧，同尊一個聖名，奔向同一的盼望，諸般恩典同領。

(三) 她受盡許多艱難，一路滿了爭戰，但她這路的終點，乃是永遠平安。她那榮耀的異象，終成有福實際，教會勝利的顯彰，就是永享安息。

(四) 她雖在地却屬天，與三一神相聯，奧祕、甜美的結聯，帶來安息無間。屬天喜樂何甜美，求賜更多恩典，使能柔和且謙卑，彼此相愛無間。

(1) The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord; She is His new creation by water and the Word: From heav'n He came and sought her to be His holy Bride; with His own blood He bought her, and for her life He died.

(2) Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth, her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth; one holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food. And to one hope she presses, with every grace endued.

(3) 'Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war, she waits the consummation of peace for evermore; till, with the vision glorious, her longing eyes are blest, and the great Church victorious shall be the Church at rest.

**(4) Yet she on earth hath union with God the Three in One, and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won:
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we, like them, the meek and lowly, in love may dwell with Thee.**

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