

## If We Hold on Together

Don't lose your way With each passing day  
You've come so far Don't throw it away  
Live believing Dreams are for weaving  
Wonders are waiting to start  
Live your story  
Faith, hope and glory  
Hold to the truth in your heart

If we hold on together  
I know our dreams will never die  
Dreams see us through to forever  
Where clouds roll by  
For you and I

Souls in the wind Must learn how to bend  
Seek out a star Hold on to the end  
Valley, mountain There is a fountain  
Washes our tears all away  
Words are swaying  
Someone is praying  
Please let us come home to stay

When we are out there in the dark  
We'll dream about the sun  
In the dark we'll feel the light  
Warm our hearts, everyone

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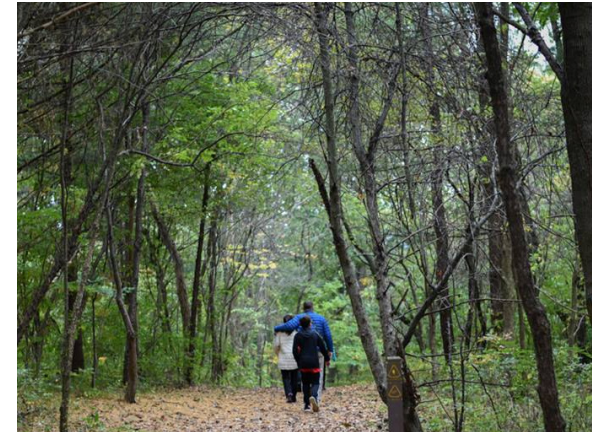
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## A Path in God



Our prayer is characterized by silence ~

**Be still and know that I am God!**

In that silence we listen for a new word.

God is present in all our lives.

God cares for us, and  
our life experiences are a source  
of deepening knowledge of God and self.

Inspired by God's Word in the silence  
we share from our hearts.

### Renew · Refresh · Refocus

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**To Ponder:** Frederick Buechner  
*The Sacred Journey*

...it is not just the saints of the church  
that we should remember in our prayers,  
but all the foolish ones  
and wise ones,  
the shy ones and overbearing ones,  
the broken ones and whole ones,  
the despots and tosspots and crackpots of our lives  
who, one way or another, have been  
our particular fathers and mothers and saints,  
and whom we loved  
without knowing we loved them  
and by whom we were helped  
to whatever little we may have,  
or ever hope to have,  
of some kind of seedy sainthood of our own.



**Reading:** Bruce Sanquin:

*Holy One, Holy Oneness*

We open now to the mystery of Life,  
to the Holy One and Holy Oneness,  
infinitely greater than words can express,  
and yet the Heart of our hearts,  
and the Mind of our minds,  
and whose love for us and all creation  
exceeds our capacity to imagine.

We open now to the mystery of Life,  
to the Holy Oneness,  
the web of life that holds all beings in intimate embrace,  
making it possible to distinguish but never disconnect  
any part from the whole, or whole from the parts,  
making us kin in the kin-dom of life.

We open now to the mystery of Life,  
knowing this adventure  
to be a journey back to the ever-present source—  
discovered in our own depths—  
and a forward journey toward a new heaven and a new Earth,  
which is being born through us,  
and know above all and below all  
that this is not a path to God,  
but a path in God.  
We celebrate this great adventure.  
Amen.

Sharing...

a word...

a phrase...

a reflection...