

# He Will Hold Me Fast

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Words vv. 1-2 by Ada Habershon (1861-1918)  
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Full of Hope (♩ = 66)

(v3:Em7)

G G/B C C D G

1. When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;  
 2. Those He saves are His de - light, Christ will hold me fast;  
 3. For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;

(v3:Em7)

5 G G/B C C D G

When the tempt - er would pre - vail, He will hold me fast.  
 Pre - cious in his ho - ly sight, He will hold me fast.  
 Just - ice has been sat - is - fied; He will hold me fast.

9 Em D/F# G C C B Em

I could nev - er keep my hold Through life's fear - ful path;  
 He'll not let my soul be lost; His Prom - is - es shall last;  
 Raised with Him to end - less life, He will hold me fast

13 Em D/F# G/B C C D G

For my love is oft - en cold; He must hold me fast.  
 Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast.  
 'Till our faith is turned to sight, When He comes at last!

**Refrain**

18 C D Em Em D/F# G

He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;

22 G Am<sup>7</sup> G/B C C D

For my Sa - vior loves me so, He will hold me

25 1. Gadd9 G/B Cadd9 Gadd9 G/B

fast.

28 Cadd9 G D.S. al Coda

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**CODA**

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22 **A Bm7 A/C# D D E** last time to CODA ☐

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