BELLEVUE 11s.

"He hath said I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee." Heb. 18:6

George Keith, 1787
Key of B♭ Major

*Anne Steele / Z. Chambers

1. How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord, Is laid for your faith in his excellent word,

2. "Fear not, I am with thee. O be not dismayed! I, I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;

3. "When thru the deep waters I call thee to go, The rivers of sorrow shall not overflow;

4. The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose I will not, I will not desert to his foes,

What more can He say than to you He hath said, You who unto Jesus for refuge have fled.
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand, Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

For I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless, And sanctity to thee thy deepest distress.
The soul, tho' all hell should endeavor to shake, I'll never, no never, no never for sake.

*In the "Sacred Harp" this tune is credited to Z. Chambers, It was originally written by Anne Steele.