

New Jordan

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Nehemiah Shumway, 1815

1. On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, And cast a wish-ful eye, To Canaan's fair and hap-py land, Where my pos-ses-sions lie.
2. There generous fruits that ne-ver fail, On trees im-mor-tal grow: There rocks and hills and brooks and vales With milk and honey flow.
3. No chilling winds nor poisonous breath Can reach that healthful shore: Sickness and sor-row, pain and death Are felt and feared no more.
4. Filled with delight, my raptured soul Can here no long-er stay: Though Jordan's waves around me roll, Fearless I'd launch a-way.

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