

Living Hope

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(based on the recording by Phil Wickham)

Key - C | Tempo - 72 | Time - 4/4

INTRO

| C | F² | C | F²

VERSE 1

How great the chasm that lay be - tween us
How high the mountain I could not climb
In desper - ation I turned to heaven
And spoke Your name in - to the night
Then through the darkness Your loving-kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished the end is written
Jesus Christ, my living hope

VERSE 2

Who could im - agine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken, I am for - given
The King of kings calls me His own
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours for - ever
Jesus Christ, my living hope

CHORUS

Halle - lujah, **F²** **C** praise the **G** One who set me **Am⁷** free!

Halle - lu - jah, **F²** **C** death has lost its grip on me! **G** **Am⁷**

You have broken every chain, **F²** **C** there's sal - vation in Your name **G** **Am⁷**

(1.) **C/G** **F²** **G^{sus}** **G** **C** (To Chorus)
Jesus Christ, my liv - ing hope

(2.) **C/G** **F²** **G^{sus}** **G** **Am** **C/E** (To Ending)
Jesus Christ, my liv - ing hope

VERSE 3

Then came the morning that sealed the **C** promise **G^{sus}**

Your buried body **F²** **Am⁷** began to breathe **G^{sus}**

Out of the silence, the Roaring **C** Lion **G^{sus}**

(1.) **F²** **G^{sus}** **C** (Repeat Verse 3)
Declared the grave has no claim on me

(2.) **F²** **G^{sus}** **Am** **C/E**
Declared the grave has no claim on me

F² **C/G** **G** **C** (To Chorus)
Jesus, Yours is the vic - to - ry! Whoa

ENDING

Jesus Christ, my liv - ing hope **F²** **G^{sus}** **G** **Am** **C/E**

Oh God, You are my liv - ing hope **C/G** **F²** **C/G** **G** **C**

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