



“IMPRINT OF HIS HANDS”

By Dan Price 2003

**A circuit preacher gave his farewell that day
For tomorrow he'd join on of the armies - The Blue & The Gray.
Roots ran deep, but he felt the Imprint of His hand
To help him guide his fellow man.**

**At the turn of the century, a seamstress weds
A husband deserts her with four daughters to be fed.
Wondering why as they went to the orphans home,
Then she felt the Imprint of His hand, and was not alone.**

**A mother weeps and a father bows to pray
For the silent soldier son, cold as clay.
Why should life be such a test,
But they felt the Imprint of His hand, as they laid him to rest.**

**The Chaplain kneels and prays in a distant land
For a fellow comrade who lies in the sand.
With a tear in his eye and wonders why,
Then he feels the Imprint of His hand close by.**

**The father looks down as The Son prays
The mother weeps as The Son's hands are nailed that day.
What a price for the scars in His hand for man,
Just so we could feel the Imprint of His hand!**

**John 20:25 “The other disciples therefore said unto him, We have seen the LORD.
But he [Thomas] said unto them, Except I see in His hands the print of the
nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and thrust my hand into
His side, I will not believe.”**

**Vss. 27-29 Then saith He to Thomas, “Reach hither thy finger, and behold My
hands; and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into My side: and be not
faithless, but believing.” And Thomas answered and said into Him,
“My LORD and my God.”**

**Jesus said unto him, “Thomas, because thou hast seen me, thou hast believed:
Blessed are they that have not seen, and yet believed.”**



“AT JESUS’ FEET”

By Mary Mayko

**The young mother knelt quietly as she prayed by his bed.
She pondered over all the words that angel had said!
Mary’s dear tiny Child, so wonderful and sweet
Would one day go forth and see many kneel at His feet!**

**The multitudes came from near and far to hear her Son teach.
Never before had they heard *anyone* like Him preach!
He had come to earth, His Father’s Will to complete,
Knowing someday, *every knee would bow* at His feet!**

**He healed many who that were crippled and blind.
He taught the people to be obedient, loving and kind.
They followed Him along dusty roads or on a city street.
They just wanted to be near Him and sit at His feet!**

***One day his disciples thought all was a complete loss!*
They witnessed Him dying on that awful Cross!
Satan knew he’d won and shouted, “At last! Jesus is in defeat!”
But the *empty grave* soon proved the *victory of Jesus* was sweet!**

**Now with their hope renewed, the multitudes soon came,
As News of His resurrection soon spread around His fame!
Today, the Salvation story is one we still love to repeat
As we invite all who will come to sit and *listen at Jesus’ feet!***

**Luke 10:39 “She had a sister named Mary,
which also sat at Jesus’ feet, and heard His word.”**

Lives are changed at the feet of Jesus!

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“THE ROOSTER BEGAN TO CROW”

By Dan Price



**There were eleven others
We were close, almost like kindred brothers.
We discussed who would be great, or the least,
But we were on our way to the Passover Feast.**

**At the dinner table, Jesus said one would betray Him.
We asked, “Is it I?” Then Judas eyes looked bleak and dim!
We headed for the garden and Jesus went to pray.
Our eyes were heavy, long had been the day.**

**Dawn was breaking and the rooster began to crow.
Peter left the courtyard and wept beyond control.
They had all left and deserted the Holy One,
Yet three times he denied God’s Beloved Son.**

**How could a man like him even falter?
Why, he even walked with Him on water!
But we are all like a jewel or a diamond in the rough,
Tried, pressured, polished, then the brilliance shines, sure enough!**

**It’s true that Peter loved God’s Son sent down as a man.
This Jesus still reaches with outstretched hands.
We may fall, we may falter, we may even fail,
But His love and mercy forgives, it still prevails!**

**His love and His mission are still true.
The miracles that Jesus can still do!
We may feel like Peter when he heard the rooster crow,
Christ still forgives, dries our tears, He’s the Savior in control!
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**Matt. 26:33-34 “Peter replied, “Even if all fall away on account of you, I never will”
“I tell you the truth,” Jesus answered, “this very night, before the rooster crows, you
will disown me three times.”**

**Mark 16:7 “But go, tell his disciples and Peter, “He is going ahead of you into
Galilee. There you will see him, just as he told you.”**

**John 21:16 “Again Jesus said, “Simon [Peter] son of John, do you truly love me?”
He answered, “Yes, Lord, you know that I love you.”
Jesus said, “Take care of my sheep.”**