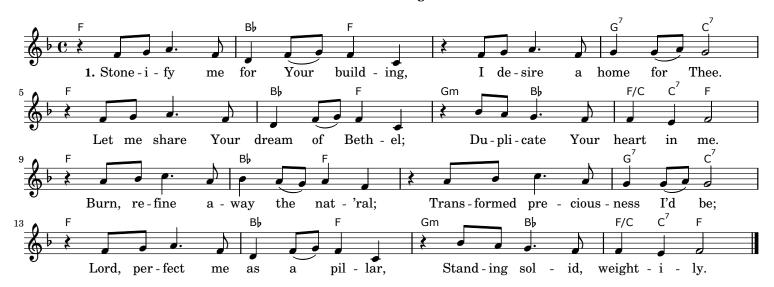
Stone-ify me for Your building

Consecration—Building God's House



- 2. Ankle-holder, a supplanter;
 My demands to God I bring.
 If God keeps me, clothes and feeds me,
 Him I'll own as God, my King.
 Chosen ere the earth's foundation;
 "Israel," I to blessing cling.
 Though I suffer, squeezed by Laban,
 I am sheltered 'neath Your wing.
- 3. Ladder joining earth and heaven,
 Make my heart Your dwelling place.
 Burden me to build Your house, Lord;
 For this now I consecrate.
 Pillars stand—"He will Establish,"
 "In Him's Strength"—of truth the base.
 Gain me to enlarge Your temple,
 Testimony propagate.

- 4. While I pass through tribulations, Situations heated press. Let me see Your hand most sovereign; Oil anointing on me dress. All my days, Your presence filleth; Life and nature, God express, Leaning on You, Staff, my Shepherd, Flowing out to others bless.
- 5. Stone-ify me for Your building,
 I desire a home for Thee.
 Let me share Your dream of Bethel;
 Duplicate Your heart in me.
 Burn, refine away the nat'ral;
 Transformed preciousness I'd be;
 Lord, perfect me as a pillar,
 Standing solid, weightily.