

# Not Ashamed to be a Christian

Longings — For Expression of Christ

1. Ev - ery - thing seems to be a down - ward spi - ral But I'm on an up - ward path;  
Cur - rents flow a - gainst me, still I keep on go - ing.  
Won - d'ring if I'll ev - er last, "Do not fear"— I  
hear the voice of my Christ Je - sus: "Just have faith, for I am the Lord.  
All will pass, but what you have in you's e - ter - nal." So I sim - ply trust His word.  
**Chorus**  
(C) I am not a - shamed to be a Chris - tian! I am not a - shamed to love the Lord!  
I am not a - fraid to stand up for Him no mat - ter what I'm told! The world can't un - der - stand,  
But none - the - less I'll stand; Fire will on - ly man - i - fest the gold.

## 2. Though I feel like I'm the only one that's different

In these cruel, crooked times,  
I will be the salt that kills the world's corruption  
And the light that brightly shines.  
Lord, it seems like I'm the only one who's standing;  
Could it be, I'm left on my own?  
"Worry not for I have set apart a remnant  
Who, like you, seek Me alone."

We are not ashamed to be Christians!  
We are not ashamed to love the Lord!  
We are not afraid to stand up for Him no matter what we're told;  
The world can't see it now,  
But time will tell, somehow  
Fire will only manifest the gold!