

# Father, long before creation (New Tune)

## Worship of the Father—His Election

(Guitar: Capo 1)

<b>D</b>	<b>Em</b>	<b>F#m</b>	<b>Bm</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>F#m</b>	<b>A<sup>7</sup></b>
1. Fa -	ther, long	be - fore	cre - a -	tion,	Thou hadst chos - en us	in love;	
<b>D</b>	<b>Em</b>	<b>F#m</b>	<b>Bm</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>Bm</b>	<b>F#m</b>	<b>A<sup>7</sup></b>
And that	love, so	deep,	so mov -	ing,	Draws us close to Christ	a - bove,	
<b>G</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Bm</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>A<sup>7</sup></b>	<b>D</b>	<b>D<sup>7</sup></b>
And will	keep us,	and	will keep	us,	Firm - ly fixed in Christ	a - lone,	
<b>G</b>			<b>A</b>		<b>D</b>		
Firm -	-	-	ly fixed	in Christ	a - lone.		

2. Though the world may change its fashion,  
 Yet our God is e'er the same;  
 His compassion and His cov'nant  
 Through all ages will remain.  
 God's own children, God's own children,  
 Must forever praise His name,  
 Must forever praise His name.
3. God's compassion is my story,  
 Is my boasting all the day;  
 Mercy free and never failing  
 Moves my will, directs my way.  
 God so loved us, God so loved us,  
 That His only Son He gave,  
 That His only Son He gave.
4. Loving Father, now before Thee  
 We will ever praise Thy love;  
 And our song will sound unceasing  
 Till we meet Thy Son above,  
 Giving glory, giving glory,  
 To our God and to the Lamb,  
 To our God and to the Lamb.