

God eternal has a purpose
 Ultimate Manifestation — God's Eternal Purpose

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(Guitar: Capo 1)

1. God e - ter - nal has a pur - pose, Formed in His e - ter - nal past,
 Spread - ing to e - ter - nal fu - ture; 'T'wixt these ends all time is cast.
 For with time there is the pro - cess, Time for His ac - com - plish - ment;
 And in time we're mere - ly trav - elers— For e - ter - ni - ty we're meant.

2. God would have a group of people
 Built together in His plan,
 Blended, knit, coordinated
 As His vessel—one new man.
 God would come into this vessel
 With His nature, life and ways,
 Mingling Spirit with our spirits
 For His joy and to His praise.

3. God has worked in three directions
 For His plan so marvelous:
 As the Father, Son, and Spirit
 To dispense Himself to us!
 All creation gives the setting—
 Heav'n and earth are for this plan;
 'Tis for this God made a body,
 Soul and spirit—three-part man.

4. As the center, as the kernel,
 Of God's plan our spirit is;
 Calling on the name of Jesus
 Makes our spirit one with His.
 From the center to circumference
 God would saturate each part;
 Feeling, mind, and will renewing,
 Making home in all our heart.

5. Thus in life we're built together,
 Then in love we're knit as one;
 God is now His plan fulfilling,
 Finishing what He's begun.
 Lord, increase Thyself within us
 That we might be built by Thee
 Into that great corporate vessel
 Filled with God exclusively.

6. As the product, the fulfillment,
 Will the church in glory stand,
 Consummation of the purpose
 In eternal ages planned.
 God will have His corporate vessel,
 All His glory to contain;
 Lord, we're wholly for Thy purpose
 All Thy goal in us attain.