

**Once in sin I served, a slave**  
 Assurance and Joy of Salvation — Freed by the Lord

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Once in sin I served, a slave, In suf - fer - ing and af - flic - tion;  
 Sin once held me cap - tive, bound me, Lord - ed o - ver me.  
 Struggling vain - ly to escape, I groaned in des - per - a - tion, Un - aware that Je - sus had set me  
**Chorus**  
 free. (C) His won - drous grace has found me! From sin's bond - age I am  
 freed, I'm drink - ing liv - ing wa - ter, sal - va - tion's boun - teous  
 feast; Praise God! What rich - es! Oh what sweetness! O - ver - flow - ing joy and praise! Oh, hal - le -  
 lu - jah! I'm saved by grace!