

# Christians Live in Hope

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The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff in 6/8 time. It consists of four systems of music, each with a three-line lyric underneath. The lyrics are: 'To re - solve all comp - li - ca - tion, / Though the mael - strom may sur - round us, / Though our days be filled with sor - row, / Though our lives may lack vex - a - tion, / all conf - lict - ing in - cli - na - tion, / though the waves of fear may pound us, / yet on fu - ture joys we bor - row / slight in death, light in tax - a - tion, / all des - pair in ex - pec - ta - tion / let ad - ver - si - ty not con - found us / to build in - ter - est in to - mor - row / truth en - joys no re - lax - a - tion / Christ - ians live in hope. / Christ - ians live in hope. / Christ - ians live in hope. / Christ - ians live in hope.'

5. Though great profits we be reaping  
And fine company be keeping,  
Let our souls not be caught sleeping,  
Christians live in hope.

6. All distraction now vacating  
And all spite evaporating,  
Let us join in stillness waiting,  
Christians live in hope.

7. Let the world join in seeing,  
In the love of God agreeing,  
What we dream will come to being,  
Christians live in hope,  
Christians, live in hope.