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VERSE I

GOD TOLD THE ISRAELITES, RISE AND TAKE THE LAND;

FOR I HAVE PROMISED CANAAN TO ABRAHAM.

MARCH ON, OH, JOSHUA, SEVEN TIMES AROUND;

I WILL GIVE YOU JERICHO, THEN, HOLD YOUR GROUND

CHORUS

HOLD YOUR GROUND, TELL THE ENEMY, “NO”!

 (HOLD YOUR GROUND)

HOLD YOUR GROUND GOD IS STILL IN CONTROL

 (HOLY GROUND)

TELL SATAN YOU WILL NEVER, NEVER TAKE ME DOWN,

FOR I WILL RISE, I WILL RISE I WILL RISE AND HOLD MY GROUND

 (I WILL RISE) (I WILL RISE)

VERSE II

ON TOP OF MT. CARMEL WERE THE PROPHETS OF BAEL.

THEY CRIED TO THEIR GOD, BUT TO NO AVAIL

AS DARKNESS WAS FALLING, ELIJAH PRAYED FIRE DOWN

HE CRIED, THE LORD, HE IS GOD; ELIJAH HELD HIS GROUND!

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LITTLE CHILDREN, TODAY, DO NOT BE AFRAID

OFTEN THREATENED, BUT WE ARE NOT BOUND

WE ARE FREE TO RISE FOR GOD IS ON OUR SIDE

SO, LET US RISE, WE WILL RISE, WE WILL RISE AND HOLD OUR GROUND

CLAIMING THE BLOOD STANDING ON GOD’S WORD,

WE CAN HOLD OUR GROUND

REFRAIN

HOLD YOUR GROUND TELL THE ENEMY, “NO”!

 (HOLD YOUR GROUND)

HOLD YOUR GROUND!