

# The Bond of Perfectness

*Above all these things put on charity, which is the bond of perfectness. Col. 3:14*

1. How sweet this bond of perfectness, The wondrous love of Jesus;  
2. The bond that circles heaven's pure— Oh, wondrous, wondrous story!—  
3. Oh, praise the Lord for love divine That binds us all together;  
4. "God over all and in us all," And through each holy brother;  
5. Oh, mystery of heaven's peace! Oh, bond of heaven's union!

A pure fore-taste of heaven's bliss, Oh, fellowship so precious!  
Has dropped around the holy here, And fills us all with glory.  
A thousand chords our hearts entwine, For ever and for ever.  
No pow'r of earth or hell, withal, Can rend us from each other.  
Our souls in fellowship embrace, And live in sweet communion.

*Refrain*

Oh, brethren, how this perfect love Unites us all in Jesus!

One heart, and soul, and mind we prove The union heaven gave us.