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How the mind can wander

How the heart can stray

Suddenly you're on the edge of darkness

How it makes me ponder

How I'm led away

Down a path that leaves me worn and tarnished

Battling with the will within

I have known all along

That I should lean on You

Cause I'm never strong enough

To fight it on my own

CHORUS:

Shelter me

The ways of the world are at my feet

Shelter me

From the desires that deceive

You are the fortress I need

Shelter me

How the mind can wonder

How the heart can change

When you set your sights on holiness

And though at times you falter

It's the only way

You can find a place of peace to rest

CHORUS

You will never leave me stranded

Fending for myself

When the enemy advances

You are there to help

Standing in the gap for me

Whenever I grow weak

You are my deliverer

The refuge that I seek

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