

Build on the Rock

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$\text{♩} = 115$

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It features a treble and bass staff in 4/4 time with a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat). The tempo is marked as 115 beats per minute. The melody is primarily in the treble staff, while the piano accompaniment is in the bass staff. The lyrics are arranged in three systems, each corresponding to a line of music. The first system includes three verses of lyrics. The second system includes a refrain. The third system includes a final line of lyrics. The score ends with a double bar line.

1. We'll build on the Rock, the liv - ing Rock, On Je - sus, the Rock of Ag - es; So
2. Some build on the sink - ing sands of life, On vis - ions of earth-ly treas-ure; Some
3. O build on the Rock, for ev - er sure, The firm and the true foun - da - tion; Its

Refrain

shall we a - bide the fear - ful shock, When loud the tem - pest ra - ges. We'll
build on the waves of sin and strife, Of fame, and world-ly pleas-ure. We'll
hope is the hope which shall en - dure, The hope of our sal - va - tion.

build on the Rock, We'll build on the Rock; We'll
build on the Rock, on the sol-id Rock, We'll build on the Rock, on the sol-id Rock;

build on the Rock, on the sol-id Rock, On Christ, the might-y Rock.