Father, Long before Creation

1 Father, long before creation you had chosen to love, and that love so deep, so moving, draws us close to Christ above.  
   Though the world may change its fashion, you will still remain. Your own
   Your compassion is our story, is our boasting through all ages will remain. God so
   Loving Father, now before you we shall ever

2 us in love, and that love so deep, so moving,  
   main the same; your compassion and your covenant moves our will, directs our way. God so
   all the day; mercy free and never failing when we see you face to face, giving

3 keeps us firmly fixed in Christ alone.  
   children shall forever praise your name. loved us that he gave his only Son.
   sing your grace, and our song will sound forever glory to the Lamb upon the throne.

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