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Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Words: Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923

Music: William M. Runyan, 1923

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Chorus:

Great is thy faithfulness!

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Morning by morning new mercies I see;

All I have needed thy hand has provided;

Great is thy faithfulness,

Lord, unto me!

The story of Great is Thy Faithfulness by Thomas Chisholm:

Thomas Chisholm was born in 1866 and became a Methodist minister assigned to Scottsville, KY until he experienced a decline in health. He had always loved poetry and after leaving the ministry he began in earnest to write hymns. Hymns are poems that are set to music. The music is sometimes written by a second person. Each of these persons is listed at the bottom of the page in a hymnal.