

# Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Words by Elisha A. Hoffman, 1887; Music by Anthony J. Showalter, 1887

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Joyously (♩ = 124)

1. What a fel - low - ship,  
2. O how sweet to walk  
3. What have I to dread,

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what a joy di - vine, lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms;  
in this pil - grim way, lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms;  
what have I to fear, lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms?

7  
what a bless - ed - ness, what a peace is mine, lean - ing on the ev - er -  
O how bright the path grows from day to day, lean - ing on the ev - er -  
I have bless - ed peace with my Lord so near, lean - ing on the ev - er -

Chords: G, C, G, C, G/D, D, G, C, G

10 *Refrain*

last - ing arms. Lean - ing, lean - ing,  
 last - ing arms. Lean - ing, lean - ing,  
 last - ing arms. Lean - ing, lean - ing,

G/D D G C/D G C

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safe and se - cure from all a - larms; lean - ing, lean - ing,  
 safe and se - cure from all a - larms; lean - ing, lean - ing,  
 safe and se - cure from all a - larms; lean - ing, lean - ing,

G G/D D G C

17 *D. C.* last time only

lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.  
 lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.  
 lean - ing on the ev - er - last - ing arms.

G G/D D G C/D G G/D D G