

FIRMLY I BELIEVE AND TRULY

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1 Firm - ly I be - lieve and tru - ly God is Three, and
2 And I trust and hope most ful - ly In that Man - hood
3 Simp - ly to His grace and wholl - y Light and life and

God is One; And I next ack - now - ledge dul - y
cru - ci - fied; And each thought and deed un - ru - ly
strength be - long, And I love sup - rem - ly sole - ly,

Man - hood ta - ken by the Son.
Do to death, as He has died.
Him the ho - ly, Him the strong.

4 And I hold in veneration,
For the love of Him alone,
Holy Church as His creation,
And her teachings are His own.

5 And I take with joy whatever
Now besets me, pain or fear,
And with a strong will I sever
All the ties which bind me here.