

WE HAVE SEEN THE WORD OF LIFE

1985. The opening of the First Letter of John and of John's Gospel provide the words for this song. The melody and style owe something to Indian music. Close vocal harmony helps the song along. The New Testament writers are very keen to assert the historical basis of our faith, and John is very consistent in his assertion that the man Jesus is "The Word of Life" - the eternal God.

1. We have seen the word of life.
we have seen it with our eyes,
we have heard it with our ears,
we have touched it with our hands.

2. We have seen the word of life,
and the word became a man,
he was full of grace and truth,
he has made God's glory known.

3. We have seen the word of life.
he is Jesus, God's own son,
and he died to save us all
to forgive us for our sin.

4. We have seen the word of life,
he reveals the truth of God,
and we have no need to hide
— we are living in his light.

Repeat Verse 1

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