

LOVE NEVER FAILS

Intro: Soulful gospel ballad (♩ = ca. 88) *Refrain*

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Love is pa-tient, love is kind,
 love is not jeal-ous or rude. Love does not seek its own glo-ry.
 Love finds in e - vil no joy. Love be - lieves, love
 hopes and en-dures. Love nev-er fails. fails.

1, 2 to Verses | 3 to Bridge

Verse 1

1. I can speak the tongues of ev - 'ry na - tion. I can
 1. sing with the el - o - quence of the an - gels. I can
 1. do all these things, but if I have not love I am
 1. noth - ing but a clang - ing cym - bal. *D.S.*


Verse 2



2. I can com-pre-hend all knowl-edge. I can have faith to



2. move the might-y moun-tains. I can do all these things, but if



2. I have not love I am noth-ing, — noth-ing at all. — *D.S.*

Bridge



When I was a child — I spoke and thought and rea-soned like a



child, but now I've grown be-yond such child-ish ways. — Oh!

Final Refrain

Melody



Love is pa-tient, love is kind, love is not jeal-ous or

Harmony



Love, love is pa-tient, pa-tient and kind, love is not

LOVE NEVER FAILS, cont. (3)

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or to Opt. Coda
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Optional Coda (♩ = ca. 106)

Love, love nev - er fails. *Repeat ad lib.*

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