

GEORGE FOX SONG
(WALK IN THE LIGHT)

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There's a Light that is shining
when the world began,
And a Light that is shining
in the heart of man:
There's a Light that is shining
in the Turk and the Jew,
And a Light that is shining,
friend, in me and in you.

Chorus:

*Walk in the Light,
wherever you may be!*
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wherever you may be!*
*In my old leather breeches and
my shaggy, shaggy locks,
I am walking in the glory of the Light, said
Fox.*

With a book and a steeple
and a bell and a key
They would bind it forever –
but they can't, said he.
O, the book, it will perish,
and the steeple will fall,
But the Light will be shining
at the end of it all.

[Chorus]

“Will you swear on the Bible?”
I will not,” said he,
“For the truth is as holy
as the Book to me.”
“If we give you a pistol,
will you fight for the Lord?”
“You can't kill the devil
with a gun or a sword.”

[Chorus]

There's an ocean of darkness and
I drowned in the night
Till I came through the darkness
to the ocean of Light
You can lock me in prison
but the Light will be free.
And I'll walk in the glory
of the Light, said he.

[Chorus]