

Building for Eternity

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1. We are build - ing in sorrow or joy, A temple the world may not
 2. Ev - ery thought that we've ev - er had, Its own lit - tle place has
 3. Ev - ery word that so light - ly falls, Giving some heart joy or
 4. Are you build - ing for God a - lone? Are you building in faith and

Refrain

see, Which time can-not mar nor de - stroy: We build for e - ter - ni - ty.
 filled; Every deed we have done, good or bad, Is a stone in the temple we build. We are
 pain, Will shine in our tem - ple walls, Or ev - er its beau - ty stain.
 love A tem - ple the Father will own, In the ci - ty of light a - bove?

build-ing ev-ery day A tem-ple the world may not see, Build-ing, build-ing

ev-ery day, Build-ing for e - ter-ni - ty.