

## **Rise up high like the eagles – Paul. G. Barnsley**

Rise up high like the eagles,  
Bourne aloft by the wind that God's Spirit blows,  
Catch life's vista unfolding  
As viewed with God's eyes, not yours alone;  
Face life's challenge unswerving,  
Steer straight and true on God's narrow way,  
Seek to soar, wings wide reaching,  
And find your strength is refreshed by Him!

*We will run and not grow weary,  
We will walk and not feel faint,  
As we trust in God, faith will be renewed,  
To seek His holy way;  
Rising up like the eagles, soaring on high,  
We'll ride the Spirit's wind,  
With our hope made sure and certain,  
By the Christ, who dwells within!*

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