

# NOW IS COME SALVATION!

The serpent seemed tiny and barely noticed;  
Caught my attention when it softly hissed.  
And then spoke so sweetly, I just stood surprised.  
It was so appealing. I felt hypnotised.

I could have walked on, but I gave it more time.  
The serpent grew bigger in proportionate line.  
I thought about leaving, to say, “That’s the end!”-  
But strangely the serpent was now like a friend.

It needed me by him to constantly feed;  
It took over my life with insatiable greed.  
It became a red dragon gigantic and tall,  
And I thought with regret of the day it was small.

*Just how to escape from this terrible fate?  
Could I pray now to God? – Or was it too late??*

*“ And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels, And prevailed not; neither was there place found any more in heaven. And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him. And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven,  
“Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ:”...\**

**In the *now* of salvation, there is no past.  
No serpent, no dragon, their nothingness vast.  
I live in God's kingdom, Love governs each thought,  
For God is *All* power, in Him truly wrought!**

**I now hear the message of Christ through my day,  
It covers each moment, and leads me the Way,  
The dead threats of matter have all been dispelled,  
Salvation wraps round me, in Love am I held!**

*\* Revelation 12:7-10 (to :)*

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