

I HAVE RETURNED

**I have returned . . . to the God of my childhood
To the same simple things . . . as a child I once knew
Like a prodigal son . . . I longed for my loved ones
For the comforts of home . . . and the God I out-grew.**

(chorus 1)

**I have returned . . . to the God of my childhood
Bethlehem's Babe . . . the Prophet's Messiah
He's Jesus to me . . . Eternal Deity
Praise His name . . . I have returned.**

**I have returned . . . to the God of my father
The most God-like man . . . a child could know
Oh-I-just-heard a shout . . . from the angels in glory
Praising the Lord . . . a child has come home!**

(chorus 2)

**I have returned . . . to the God of my Father
Creator of heaven and earth . . . God of the universe
He's Jesus to me . . . Eternal Deity
Praise His name . . . I have returned.**

**I have returned . . . to the Yahweh of Judah
On my knees I did fall . . . where the wall now stands
This lesson I've learned . . . as I worked my way homeward
The Savior of all . . . is the comfort to man!**

(chorus 3)

**I have returned . . . to the Father of Abraham
The Sheherd of Mo-ses who called Him the Great "I am"
He's Jesus to me . . . Eternal Deity
Praise His name . . . I have returned!**

(repeat chorus 2)