## I WILL NOT BE MOVED - NATALIE GRANT





Six-time Grammy nominated Natalie Grant is known for her powerful and soaring vocals, heart-gripping lyrics and passionate performances, and has remained one of the top-selling Christian & Gospel artists since her 2005 breakout RIAA Gold certified album, "Awaken." She has since gone on to have over 3 million in career sales. The Gospel Music Association has named her Female Vocalist of the Year 5 times and she has had multiple number 1's on the Billboard singles and albums charts, including her most recent record titled, "Be One."

More than just music and awards, Grant has built a relationship with her fan base on a personal level that goes well beyond the music. Regarded as real, authentic and transparent, that connection with people puts

Grant at the top of the industry with fan engagement across all social media platforms.

Beyond her music career, Natalie is the author of several books, including a tween book series titled "Glimmer Girls." Her fashion and jewelry line, NG by Natalie Grant, has seen great success, and most importantly she has used her platform to be an outspoken advocate for victims of human trafficking since 2005. She co-founded Hope for Justice International, which identifies and rescues victims of trafficking and then provides them with complete restorative care. The organization now has 6 offices spanning 4 countries and 3 continents.

Though she is a Seattle native, Natalie makes her home in Nashville, TN with her husband, producer/songwriter Bernie Herms and their three children: twins Grace and Bella, and their youngest, Sadie.

Information from: <a href="http://nataliegrant.com/">http://nataliegrant.com/</a>



I have been the wayward child
I have acted out
I have questioned sovereignty
and had my share of doubts
And though sometimes my prayers feel like they're
bouncing off the sky
The hand I hold won't let me go
and is the reason why...

I will stumble, I will fall down
But I will not be moved
I will make mistakes, I will face heartache,
But I will not be moved
On Christ the Solid Rock I stand,
all other ground is sinking sand
I will not be moved

Bitterness has plagued my heart many times before
My life has been like broken glass,
and I have kept the score
of all my shattered dreams and though it seemed
that I was far too gone

My brokenness helped me to see it's grace I'm standing on

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And the chaos in my life, has been a badge I've worn
And though I have been torn
I will not be moved

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## Matthew 7:24-27, New International Version (NIV)

24 "Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. 25 The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. 26 But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. 27 The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash."

- 1. What would you say the song is about?
- 2. What lines stuck out to you in the song? Anything you could relate to?
- 3. Read Matthew 7:24-27. Who do you think is speaking? How do you know?
- 4. This passage is considered a parable. What do you know about parables?
- 5. What similarities do you see? What differences?
- 6. Read verses 24-25 again. What is happening here. What is the simile (big language arts word!) based on?
- 7. Read verses 26-27 again. What is happening here. What is the simile based on?
- 8. What's the big deal? What are we supposed to learn?
- 9. How does knowing this give us confidence that we "will not be moved"?
- 10. What part do we play in this? What might we need to change in our lives to do our part?