**Poem by Theodore Slaght   
1935-2021**

**Submitted by Don Allen February 14, 2023**

For 50 years Ted was a faithful member of the Christian Family Circle Church.  
Ted was the pillar keeping the sound system working, Along with many other task.

Ted had no desire to speak up front, so one day he handed me a hand written poem, & asked me to share it from the pulpit. And so I did, many years ago! Today I wish to Honor Ted Slaght by sharing his poem once again, this time with everyone!   
 Peter:  
Reach out your hand –Son of God-Son of Man.  
Reach out your Loving hand to me.  
Lord, don’t let me drown in the sea, Drown in the sea of Galilea.

Jesus:  
Have a little Faith and you can walk on the water.  
Have a little Faith and you can calm a stormy sea.  
Have a little Faith and you can move a mountain.  
You can take your mountain and cast it into the sea.  
Yes, brothers, listen to Me!

You got to cross a little Jordan to find your Promised Land.  
Don’t put it off from day to day to wander in the sand.  
Your loving Savior is always there to take you by the hand.  
You got to cross a little Jordan to find your Promised Land.

The multitude, with Moses, had paradise at hand,  
But their lack of Faith had caused them to wander in the sand.  
If only they had listened to their loving God’s command,  
Their lives would not have ended out on the desert sand.  
So cross a little Jordan & find your Promised Land!