

Nearer, My God, To Thee (Blue Hymnal #543)

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[CAPO 3]

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[INTRO]

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[VERSE 1]

D	A	G	D	A
Near-er, my God, to Thee,	Near-er to Thee!			
D	A	G	D	A
E'en though it be a cross	That rais-eth me!			
D	G	D	D	G
Still all my song shall be,	Near-er, my God, to Thee!			A
D	A	G	D	A
Near-er, my God, to Thee,	Near-er to Thee!			

[VERSE 2]

There let the way ap-pear, Steps un-to heav'n;
All that Thou send-est me, In mer-cy giv'n;
An-gels to beck-on me Near-er, my God, to Thee!
Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee!

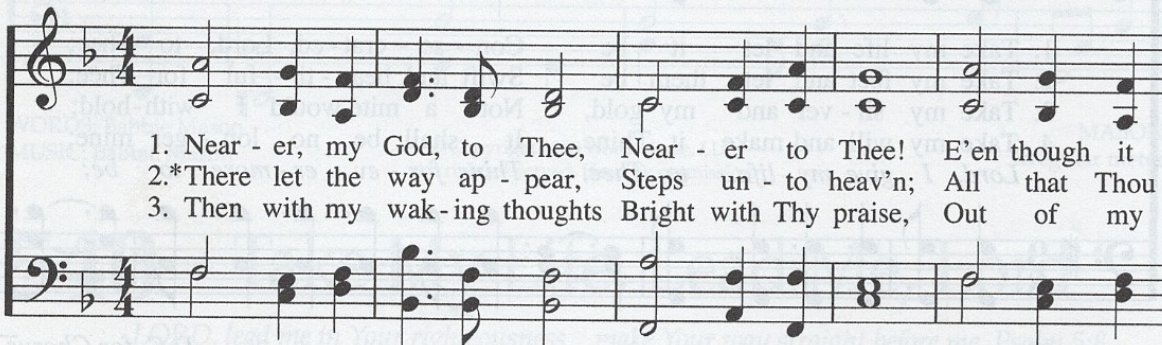
[VERSE 3]

Then with my wak-ing thoughts Bright with Thy praise,
Out of my ston-y griefs, Beth-el I'll raise;
So by my woes to be, Near-er, my God, to Thee!
Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee!

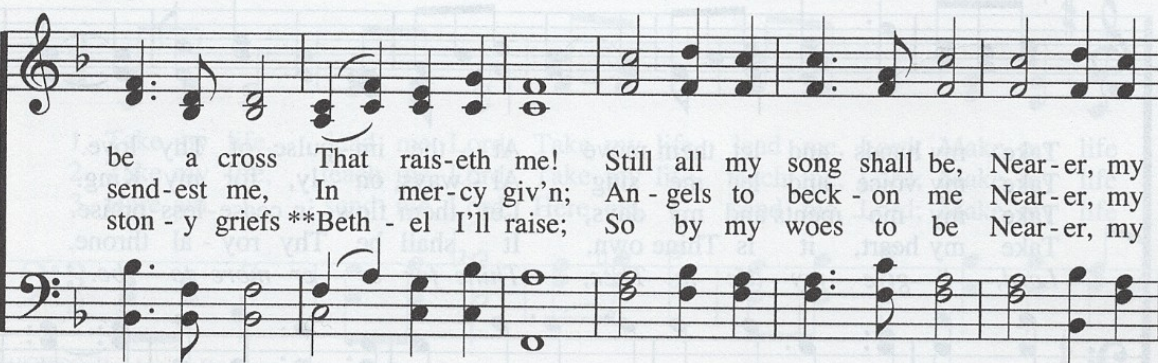
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But as for me, it is good to be near God. I have made the Sovereign Lord my refuge. Psalm 73:28 (NIV)



1. Near - er, my God, to Thee, Near - er to Thee! E'en though it
 2.*There let the way ap - pear, Steps un - to heav'n; All that Thou
 3. Then with my wak - ing thoughts Bright with Thy praise, Out of my



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*Genesis 28:12 **Genesis 35:15



God, to Thee! Near - er, my God, to Thee, Near - er to Thee!
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 God, to Thee! Near - er, my God, to Thee, Near - er to Thee!