

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

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Music: Lowell Mason

[CHORDS] **D** **A** **G** [CAPO 3]
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[INTRO] | **D** **A** | **G** | **D** **A** | **D** |

[VERSE 1] **D** **A** **G** **D** **A**
Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee!
D **A** **G** **D** **A** **D**
E'en though it be a cross That rais-eth me!
D **G** **D** **D** **G** **D** **A**
Still all my song shall be, Near-er, my God, to Thee!
D **A** **G** **D** **A** **D**
Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee!

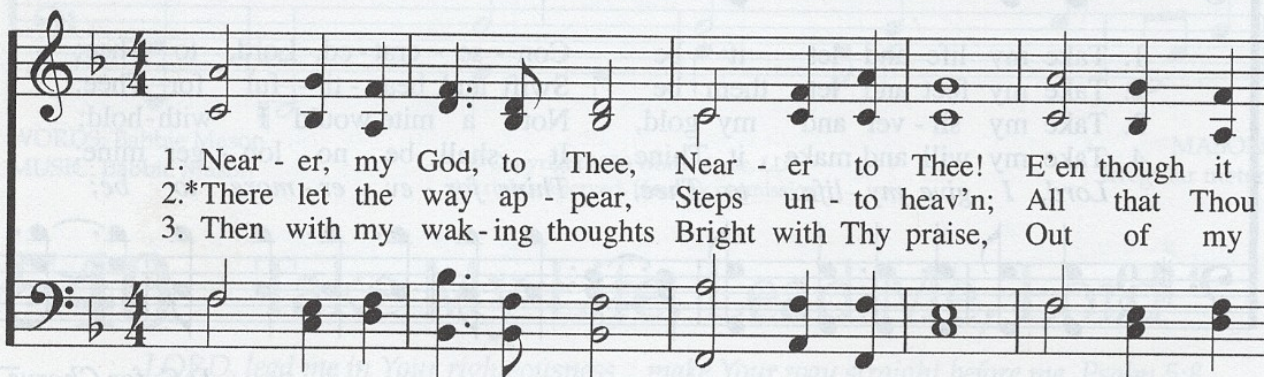
[VERSE 2] **D** **A** **G** **D** **A**
There let the way ap-pear, Steps un-to heav'n;
D **A** **G** **D** **A** **D**
All that Thou send-est me, In mer-cy giv'n;
D **G** **D** **D** **G** **D** **A**
An-gels to beck-on me Near-er, my God, to Thee!
D **A** **G** **D** **A** **D**
Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee!

[VERSE 3] **D** **A** **G** **D** **A**
Then with my wak-ing thoughts Bright with Thy praise,
D **A** **G** **D** **A** **D**
Out of my ston-y griefs, Beth-el I'll raise;
D **G** **D** **D** **G** **D** **A**
So by my woes to be, Near-er, my God, to Thee!
D **A** **G** **D** **A** **D**
Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee!

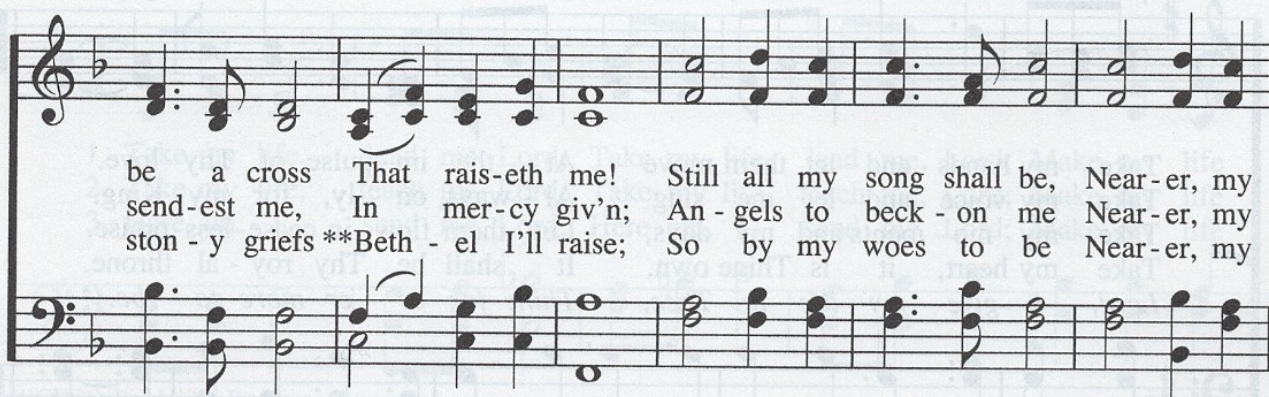
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But as for me, it is good to be near God. I have made the Sovereign Lord my refuge. Psalm 73:28 (NIV)

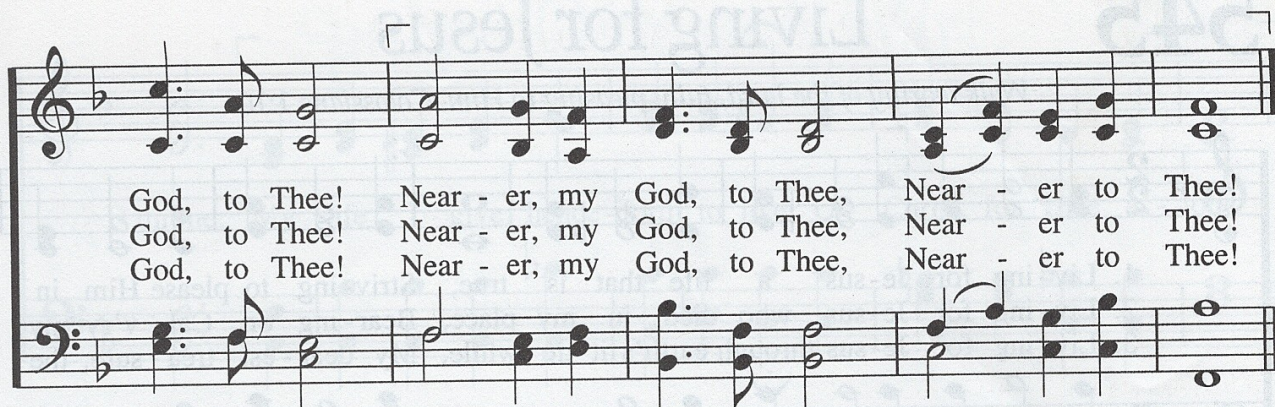


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 3. Then with my wak - ing thoughts Bright with Thy praise, Out of my



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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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