

# 253 Nearer, my God, to Thee

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$\text{♩} = 70$

1. Near - er, my God, to Thee, near - er to Thee!  
2. Though like the wan - der - er, the sun gone down,  
3. There let the way ap - pear, steps un - to heav'n;  
4. Or if, on joy - ful wing, cleav - ing the sky,

E'en though it be a cross that rais - eth me.  
dark - ness be o - ver me, my rest a stone;  
all that Thou send - est me in mer - cy giv'n.  
sun, moon and stars for - got, up - wards I fly,

Still all my song shall be,  
yet in my dreams I'd be 1-4.  
An - gels to beck - on me near - er, my God, to Thee;  
still all my song shall be,

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