

Nearer, My God, to Thee

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G D7 Em C G G/B G D

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. Then, with my wak - ing tho'ts Bright with Thy praise,
 5. Or if on joy - ful wing, Cleav - ing the sky,

G D7 Em C G/D D D7 G

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;
 Out of my sto - ny griefs Beth - el I'll raise;
 Sun, moon, and stars for - got, Up - wards I'll fly,

C/G G C G D/F# G D

Still all my song shall be, }
 Yet in my dreams I'd be }
 An - gels to beck - on me, } Near - er, my God, to Thee,
 So by my woes to be }
 Still all my song shall be, }

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