

# Holy Spirit, Faithful Guide

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The musical score is written in 3/4 time and consists of a melody line (treble clef) and a bass line (bass clef). The melody line includes measure numbers 1 through 32. The lyrics are arranged in four systems, each corresponding to a set of measures. The first system (measures 1-8) contains four numbered verses. The second system (measures 9-16) contains two lines of lyrics. The third system (measures 17-24) contains two lines of lyrics. The fourth system (measures 25-32) contains two lines of lyrics, with the first line starting with '(Last vs only)'. The bass line provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

1.) Ho - ly Spir - it faith - ful Guide, Ev - er near the Christ - ian's side,  
2.) Ev - er pre - sent, tru - est Friend, Ev - er near, thine aid to lend,  
3.) When our days of toil shall cease, Wait - ing still for sweet re - lease,  
4.) Ho - ly Spir - it faith - ful Guide, Plead - ing, Come, a - long thy side.

Gent - ly lead us by the hand, Pil - grims in a des - ert land;  
Leave us not to doubt and fear, Gro - ping on in dark - ness drear;  
No - thing left but Heav'n and pray'r, Won - d'ring if our names are there;  
Con - 'quering sleep by thy strong sword, Re - ceiv - ing gar - ments a - dored.

Wea - ry souls for - e'er re - joice, While they hear that sweet - est voice,  
When the storms are rag - ing sore, Hearts grow faint and hopes give o'er,  
Wad - ing deep the dis - mal flood, Plead - ing naught but Je - sus' blood;  
Pro - claim - ing, Wor - thy is the Lamb! Who was, is the great I Am.

Whis - per soft - ly, "Wan - d'rer, come, Fol - low Me, I'll guide thee Home."  
(Last vs only)Gent - ly saying "Be - lov - ed come, Walk with Me o'er the hills of home."