

JESUS, KEEP ME NEAR THE CROSS

Soprano Descant

The musical score consists of five staves of music for soprano descant, set in common time with a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are integrated into the musical lines.

1. Je - sus, keep me near the cross;
2. Near the cross, a trem - bling soul,
3. Near the cross! O Lamb of God,
there a pre - cious love and me - rcy bring its scenes be - foun - tain, found me; before me;

4. Near the cross, watch and wait, trust - ing ev - er,

free to all, a heal - ing stream, flows from Cal - vary's moun - tain.
there the bright and morn - ing star sheds its beams a - round me.
help me walk from day to day with its sha - dow o'er me.

till I reach gol - den strand be - yond the riv - er.

In the cross, in the cross, be my glo - ry ev - er,
In the cross, be my glo - ry

till my rap - tured soul shall find rest be-yond the riv - er.
er, be-yond the riv - er.