

Closer to Thee

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Thou art my refuge and my portion in the land of the living. Psalm 142:5

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1. Clos - er to Thee, near to Thy side, Clos - er, dear Lord,
 2. Clos - er to Thee, near to Thy breast, Clos - er to Thee;
 3. Clos - er to Thee, hap - py and free, Grant me, O Lord,

I would a - bide; Hold me in Thy em - brace, 'Neath ev - 'ry
 Lord, let me rest; Guide me when I would stray, Keep me from
 ev - er to be; Hear me in ev - 'ry cry, Stand near when

smile of grace, Grant me, Thy child, a place Clos - er to Thee.
 sin each day, Draw me, dear Lord, I pray, Clos - er to Thee.
 I must die, Then take me home on high, Clos - er to Thee.

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