Nearer, My God, to Thee

It is good for me to draw near to God; I have put my trust in the Lord God. Psalm 73:28

1. Near-er, my God, to Thee; Near-er to Thee, E'en though it be a cross That raiseth me! Still all my song shall be:
2. Though like the wan-der-er, The sun gone down, Dark-ness be o-ver me, My rest a stone; Yet in my dreams I'd be send-est me, In mer-cy giv'n; An-gels to beck-on me
3. *There let the way ap-pear, Steps un-to heav'n; All that Thou ston-y griefs **Beth-el I'll raise; So by my woes to be stars for-got, Up-ward I fly, Still all my song shall be:
4. Then, with my wak-ing tho'ts Bright with Thy praise, Out of my
5. Or if, on joy-ful wing Cleav-ing the sky, Sun, moon, and Near-er, my God, to Thee; Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee.
Near-er, my God, to Thee; Near-er, my God, to Thee, Near-er to Thee.
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*Genesis 28:12 **Genesis 35:15

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