

# Nearer, My God, to Thee

Music by Lowell Mason  
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G D7 Em C G G/B G D

Near - er, my God, to Thee, near - er to Thee!  
Though like the wan - der - er, the sun gone down,  
There let the way ap - pear, steps un - to Heav'n:  
Then, with my wak - ing thoughts bright with Thy praise,

T 9 7 5 5 7 7 5 5 9 7  
A  
B

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;

T 9 7 5 5 7 7 5 5 9 7 5  
A  
B

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

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

T 7 9 7 7 9 7 7 9 7 7 9 7  
A  
B

G D7 Em C G/D D D7 G

Near - er, my God, to Thee, Near - er to Thee!

T 9 7 5 5 7 7 5 5 9 7 5  
A  
B