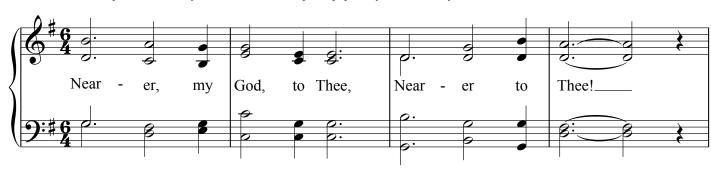
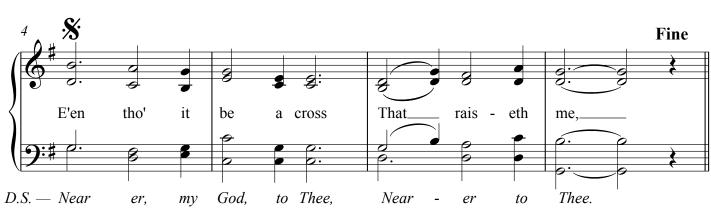
41. Nearer, My God, to Thee

Sarah F. Adams Lowell Mason

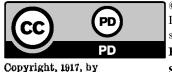
The words of this famous hymn were written by an English woman who died in 1848. Probably no hymn is more deeply loved by the people. The words were written in 1840, but it was not until 1860, when Dr. Lowell Mason's setting was composed, that the hymn attained its wide-spread popularity in this country.







- 2. Tho' like the wanderer, The sun gone down, Darkness be over me, My rest a stone, Yet in my dreams I'd be, Nearer, my God, to Thee,
- 3. There let the way appear Steps unto heav'n; All that thou sendest me In mercy given; Angels to beckon me, Nearer, my God, to Thee,
- 4. Or if on joyful wing Cleaving the sky, Sun, moon, and stars forgot, Upward I fly, Still all my song shall be, Nearer, my God, to Thee,



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