

O For a closer walk with God

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D G D/F# G D A D
O for a closer walk with God,
D/F# Bm Asus A
a calm and heav'nly frame,
D D/F# G A
a light to shine upon the road
D/F# A D
that leads me to the Lamb!

D G D/F# G D A D
Where is the blessedness I knew
D/F# Bm Asus A
when first I sought the Lord?
D D/F# G A
Where is the soul-refreshing view
D/F# A D
of Jesus and His Word?

A Bm G D
What peaceful hours I once enjoyed!
A D/F# G
How sweet their mem'ry still!
A Bm G D
But they have left an aching void
D/F# A D
the world can never fill.

D G D/F# G D A D
Return, O holy Dove, return,
D/F# Bm Asus A
sweet messenger of rest;
D D/F# G A
I hate the sins that made Thee mourn,
D/F# A D
and drove Thee from my breast.

A Bm G D
The dearest idol I have known,
A D/F# G
whate'er that idol be,
A Bm G D
help me to tear it from Thy throne
D/F# A D
and worship only Thee. (Repeat whole chorus)

D G D/F# G D A D
Then shall my walk be close with God,
D/F# Bm Asus A
calm and serene my frame;
D D/F# G A
so purer light shall mark the road
D/F# A D
that leads me to the Lamb.