

# In the Midst of New Dimensions

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Julian Rush, 1985; alt.

Gen. 9:12-16; Exod. 13:21-22; Num. 14:14

C C/B F C F Am7 Dm7 G7sus4 G7

1 In the midst of new di-men-sions, in the face of chang-ing ways,  
 2 Through the flood of starv-ing peo - ple, war-ring fac-tions and de - spair,  
 3 As we stand a world di - vid - ed by our own self - seek - ing schemes,  
 4 We are man and we are wom-an, all per-sua-sions, old and young,  
 5 Should the threats of dire pre-dic-tions cause us to with - draw in pain,

C C/B F C F Am7 Dm7 G C

Who will lead the pil - grim peo - ples wan-dering in their sep - arate ways?  
 Who will lift the ol - ive branch-es? Who will light the flame of care?  
 Grant that we, your glob - al vil - lage, might en - vi - sion wid - er dreams.  
 Each a gift in your cre - a - tion, each a love song to be sung.  
 May your blaz-ing phoe-nix spir - it res - ur - rect the church a - gain.

*Refrain*  
 Am Em F C F C G7 C Dsus4 D7 G7sus4 G7 Am

God of rain-bow, fier - y pil - lar, lead-ing where the ea-gles soar, We your

Em F C F C/E F C/E F C/E Dm7 G7 C

peo-ple, ours the jour-ney now and ev - er, now and ev - er, now and ev - er - more.

Julian Rush, an ordained minister in the United Methodist Church, has spent more than a decade as director of the Colorado AIDS Project. He wrote this hymn on the theme of "diversity" for a meeting of the Rocky Mountain Conference (United Methodist).

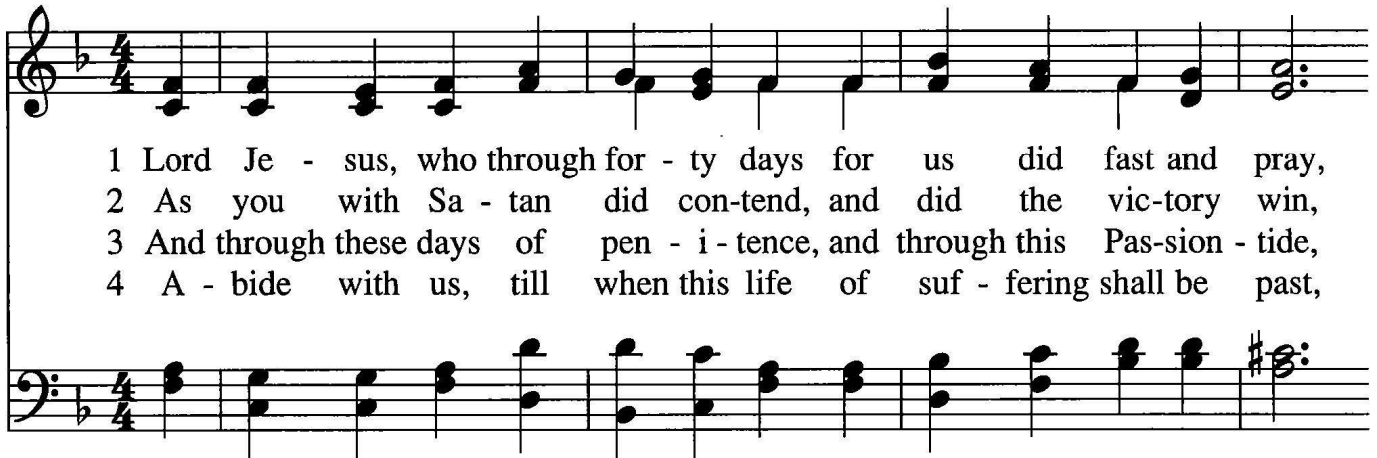
Tune: NEW DIMENSIONS 8.7.8.7. with refrain  
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 Arr. The New Century Hymnal, 1994  
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# Lord Jesus, Who through Forty Days

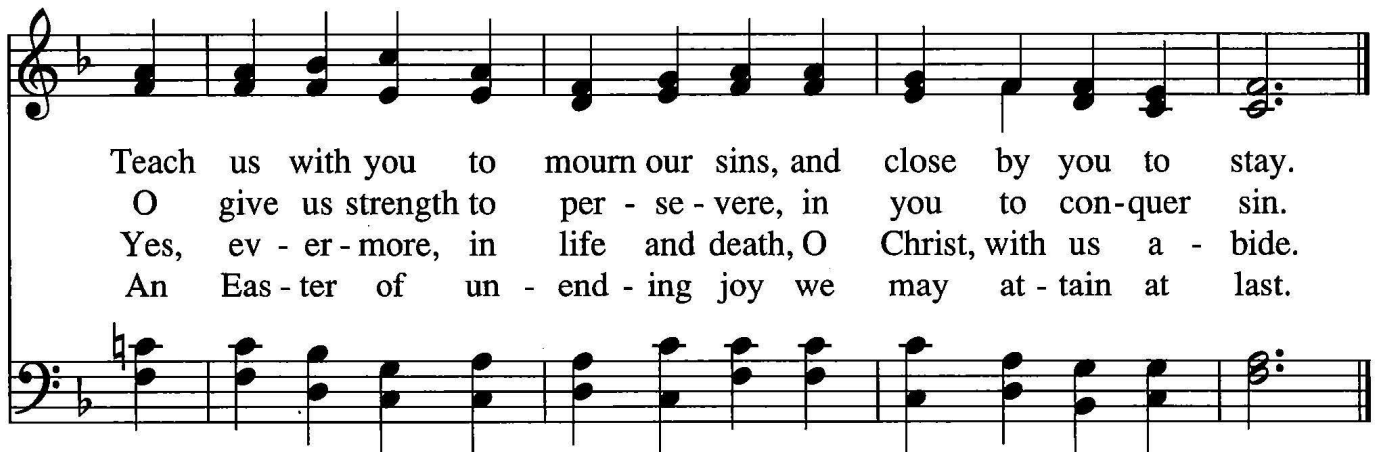
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*Claudia F. I. Hernaman, 1873; alt.*

*Mark 1:12-13; Luke 4:1-13*



1 Lord Je - sus, who through for - ty days for us did fast and pray,  
2 As you with Sa - tan did con-tend, and did the vic-tory win,  
3 And through these days of pen - i - tence, and through this Pas-sion - tide,  
4 A - bide with us, till when this life of suf - fering shall be past,



Teach us with you to mourn our sins, and close by you to stay.  
O give us strength to per - se - vere, in you to con-quer sin.  
Yes, ev - er - more, in life and death, O Christ, with us a - bide.  
An Eas - ter of un - end - ing joy we may at - tain at last.

*Unflagging in her zeal for religious education of children, Claudia F. I. Hernaman wrote some 150 hymns. This one appeared in her Child's Book of Praise (1873).*

Tune: ST. FLAVIAN C.M.  
*Day's The Whole Booke of Psalms, 1562*

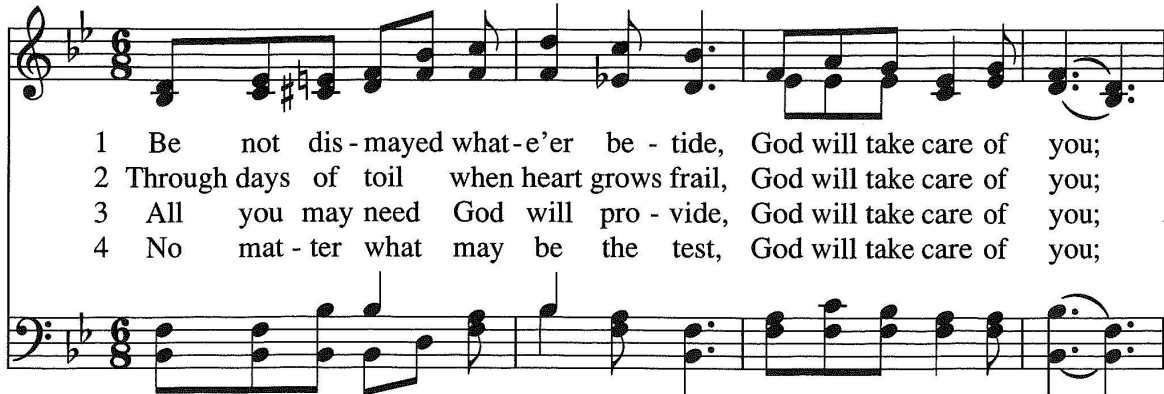
# Be Not Dismayed

(God Will Take Care of You)

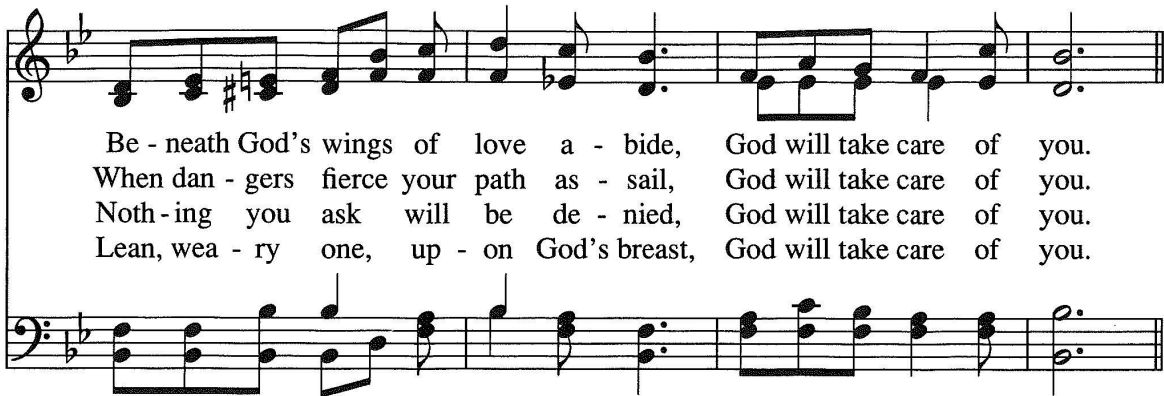
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*Civilla D. Martin, 1904; alt.*

*Ps. 91*

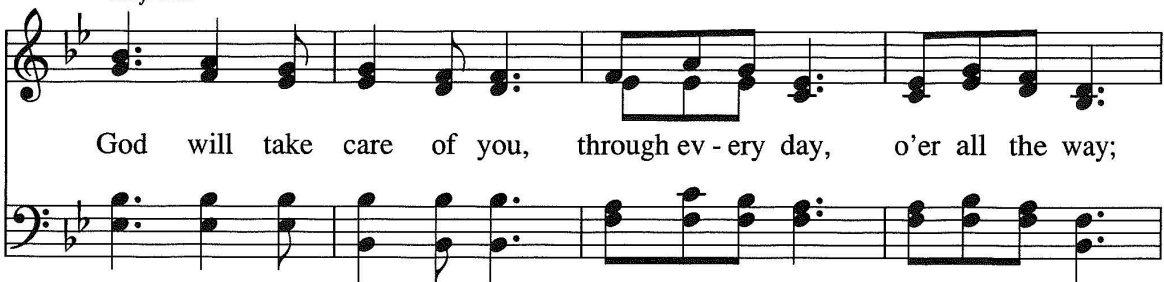


1 Be not dis-mayed what-e'er be-tide, God will take care of you;  
2 Through days of toil when heart grows frail, God will take care of you;  
3 All you may need God will pro-vide, God will take care of you;  
4 No mat-ter what may be the test, God will take care of you;



Be-neath God's wings of love a-bide, God will take care of you.  
When dan-gers fierce your path as-sail, God will take care of you.  
Noth-ing you ask will be de-nied, God will take care of you.  
Lean, wea-ry one, up-on God's breast, God will take care of you.

## *Refrain*



God will take care of you, through ev-ery day, o'er all the way;



God will take care of you, God will take care of you.  
take care of you

*This early hymn by Civilla Martin was written in 1904 and set to music by her husband, a Baptist minister, as a contribution to a songbook he was compiling for a school. This is one of several such collaborations.*

Tune: MARTIN C.M. with refrain  
W. Stillman Martin, 1905