

What A Friend We Have In Jesus

Lyrics - Joseph M. Scriven - (A poem) -1855

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D Bm D G

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D	0.	2	0	0	3	3	4	3
A	3.		3	3		1		1
D	4.	4	5	4	2	1	0	

D A A7

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D	2.	6	0	0	7	1	8	1
A	0.		3	3		0		0
D	0.	0	2	0	4	2	1	1
							2	3

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D	0	10	0	0	11	3	12	3
A	3		3			1		1
D	4.	4	5	4	2	1	0	

D

13

D	2.	14	0	2	15	2	2	16	2
A	0.		0	0	2	0	0	0	0
D	0.	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0

A A7 D

17
 D 1. 18 1 19 0. 20 0
 A 0. 0 0 3.
 D 1. 0 1 2 3 1 2. 3 4

G D G A A7

21
 D 3. 22 0 23 1 24 1
 A 3. 3 1 0
 D 5. 5 4 2 3 2 1 1 1 2 3

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25
 D 0. 26 0 27 3 28 3
 A 3. 3 3 1
 D 4. 4 5 4 2 1 0 1

D D

29
 D 2. 30 0 2 31 0 4 2 4 32 0
 A 0. 0 0 2 0 0
 D 0. 0 2 1 0 0 0

**What a friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer.**

**Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged;
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness;
Take it to the Lord in prayer.**