

**IF THOU BUT SUFFER GOD TO GUIDE THEE**

1. Only let God lead us,  
And hope in HIM through all our ways,  
Then HE will give us strength, no-matter what happens to us,  
And bring us through the bad days.  
Those trust in God's never changing love  
Builds on the Rock that nothing can move.
  
2. ?Can these troubled thoughts help us,  
These cries and sighs that never stop?  
What help can our sorrow  
About each dark minute bring?  
Our cross and suffer only become  
More heavy because of our bitter thoughts.
  
3. Patient wait for HIS decide,  
With happy hope, with satisfied heart  
For accept what any our Father's wish  
And HIS wise love finished sent,  
Not doubt HE knows our secret wants  
He chose us for become join HIM.
  
4. God full knows when happy times  
Must become right thing for us.  
When HE finished tested our soul with sadness  
And finished found us free from all false things.  
If we don't understand, HE comes to us.  
And leads us confess HIS loving care.
  
5. Sing, pray, and obey HIS ways, never doubting,  
Do our duties with faith,  
And trust HIS word, no-matter we fail,  
We will find that true for us.  
God since never forsakes the soul  
In need that truly trusted HIM. Amen

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