

# What a Friend/Lonesome Valley

Quodlibet

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arr. John D. Miller, BMI

Andante (♩ = ca. 76)      2                                      3                                      4

Synthesizer or Flute\* *mp* *poco rit.*

Piano *mf* *poco rit.*

5 *a tempo*                                      6                                      7                                      8 *mp*

(Sopranos and altos) *mf*

I What a friend we have in Je - sus, All our sins and griefs to bear,

*a tempo*

*mp*

Based on *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* (tune: Charles C. Converse, 1832-1918; text: Joseph Scriven, 1820-1886) and *Jesus Walked this Lonesome Valley* (tune: traditional Spiritual; text: Hebrews 4:15)

\*To sound an octave higher when played on synthesizer (piccolo)

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9 10 11

What a priv - i - lege to car - ry ev - 'ry - thing to God in

12 13 14 15

prayer. *p* Oh, - peace Oh, - what - pain we

(Tenors and basses) *mf*

Oh, what peace we of - ten for - feit. Oh, what need - less pain we

16 17 18 19

*mf* bear, \_\_\_\_\_ All be-cause we do not car-ry ev-'ry-thing to God in

*p* bear, we\_\_\_ do not car-ry *mf* ev-'ry-thing to God in

20 21 22

*mf* prayer. prayer. *mf* Je-sus

(Voices stay in strict 4/4)

23 24 25

*f*

oo oo

walked \_\_\_\_\_ this lone - some val - ley, He had to walk \_\_\_\_\_ it by him -

26 27 28

oo

self. Oh, no - bod - y else \_\_\_\_\_ could walk it for him, \_ He had to

29 30 31

walk it by \_\_\_ him - self.

walk it by \_\_\_ him - self.

*mf*

32 33 34

*mf*

*mf*

Are you weak and heav - y

*mf*

You must walk \_\_\_\_\_ this lone - some

35 36 37

lad - en, cum - bered with a load of care?

val-ley. You have to walk \_\_\_\_\_ it by your - self. Oh,

38 39 40

Pre - cious Sav - ior, still our ref - uge, Take it to the Lord in

no - bod - y else \_\_\_\_\_ can walk it for you. You have to walk it by \_\_\_\_\_ your -

41 42 43

prayer. oo oo

self. Have we tri - als and temp - ta - tions?

44 45 46

oo our Sav-ior Je - sus knows our ev - 'ry

Is there trou-ble an- y - where? No-bod-y else can walk it

47 48 49

weak - ness, Take it to the Lord in prayer.

for you, You have to take it to — the Lord in prayer.

*p*

50 51 52 53

*p*

Je - sus walked this lone - some val - ley.

*p*

What a friend we have in