

# THE LORD KNOWS THE WAY OF THE RIGHTEOUS



*He is like a tree planted by streams of water  
that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither.  
In all that he does, he prospers.  
Psalm 1:3 ESV*

**Song: Blessed Assurance** - *Fanny Crosby*

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!  
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,  
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long;  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,  
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;  
Angels descending bring from above,  
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long;  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, all is at rest,  
I in my Savior am happy and blest;  
Watching and waiting, looking above,  
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long;  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

**Leader:** Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on His law he meditates day and night.

**All:** He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

**Leader:** The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away. Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.

**All:** The Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish. *Psalm 1 ESV*

**Song: I Walk With Jesus All the Way** - *Hans A. Brorson, Ditlef G. Ristad*

I walk with Jesus all the way, His guidance never fails me;  
Within His wounds I find a stay, When Satan's power assails me;  
And by His footsteps led, My path I safely tread,  
In spite of ills that threaten may,  
I walk with Jesus all the way.

I walk with angels all the way, They shield me and befriend me;  
All Satan's power is held at bay, When heavenly host attend me;  
They are my sure defense, All fear and sorrow, hence!  
Unharm'd by foes, do what they may,  
I walk with angels all the way.

My walk is heavenward all the way; Await, my soul, the morrow,  
When you will find release for aye, From all your sin and sorrow,  
All worldly pomp, be gone! To heaven I now press on.  
For all the world I would not stay;  
My walk is heavenward all the way.

## **Message**

### **Prayers and The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

## **Song: Footsteps of Jesus** - *Mary B.C. Slade*

Sweetly, Lord, have we heard You calling,  
Come, follow Me!  
And we see where Your footprints falling,  
Lead us to Thee.  
Footprints of Jesus, That make the pathway glow;  
We will follow the steps of Jesus, Where'er they go.

If they lead through the temple holy,  
Preaching the Word;  
Or in homes of the poor and lowly,  
Serving the Lord.  
Footprints of Jesus, That make the pathway glow;  
We will follow the steps of Jesus, Wherever they go.

Then at last when on high He sees us,  
Our journey done,  
We shall rest where the steps of Jesus  
End at His throne.  
Footprints of Jesus, That make the pathway glow;  
We will follow the steps of Jesus, Where'er they go.

## **Blessing**

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace. *Numbers 6:24-26 ESV*

## **Doxology** - *Thomas Ken*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, you heavenly hosts,  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.