

# JESUS, FOUNDER AND PERFECTER OF OUR FAITH



*Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith,  
who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross.  
Hebrews 12:2 ESV*

## **Song: God Will Take Care of You** - *Civilla D. Martin*

**Be not dismayed what-ever betide,  
God will take care of you;  
Beneath His wings of love abide,  
God will take care of you.  
God will take care of you,  
Through every day, over all the way;  
He will take care of you,  
God will take care of you.**

**Through days of toil when hearts will fail,  
God will take care of you;  
When dangers fierce your path assail,  
God will take care of you;  
God will take care of you,  
Through every day, over all the way;  
He will take care of you,  
God will take care of you.**

**No matter what may be the test,  
God will take care of you;  
Lean, weary one, upon His breast,  
God will take care of you.  
God will take care of you,  
Through every day, over all the way;  
He will take care of you,  
God will take care of you.**

**Leader: Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.**

**All: Consider Him who endured from sinners such hostility against Himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted.**

*Hebrews 12:1-3 ESV*

**Song: Trust and Obey** - *John H. Sammis*

**When we walk with the Lord, In the light of His Word,  
What a glory He sheds on our way.**

**Let us do His good will, He abides with us still,  
And with all who will trust and obey.**

**Trust and obey, for there's no other way  
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.**

**But we never can prove, The delights of His love,  
Until all on the altar we lay,**

**For the favor He shows, And the joy He bestows,  
Are for them who will trust and obey.**

**Trust and obey, for there's no other way  
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.**

**Then in fellowship sweet, We will sit at His feet  
Or we'll walk by His side in the way;**

**What He says we will do, Where He sends we will go;  
Never fear, only trust and obey.**

**Trust and obey, for there's no other way  
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.**

**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: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty** - *Joachim Neander*  
*tr. Catherine Winkworth*

**Praise to the Lord, The Almighty, the King of creation!  
Oh my soul, praise Him, for He is your health and salvation!  
Join the full Throng; Wake, harp and Psalter and song;  
Sound forth in glad adoration.**

**Praise to the Lord, Who o'er all things is wondrously reigning,  
And as on wings of an eagle, uplifting, sustaining.  
Have you not seen, All that is needful has been  
Sent by His gracious ordaining?**

**Praise to the Lord, Who will prosper your work and defend you;  
Surely His goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.  
Ponder anew, What the Almighty can do,  
As with His love He befriends you.**

**Praise to the Lord, Oh let all that is in me adore Him!  
All that has life and breath, Come now with praises before Him.  
Let the Amen, Sound from His people again,  
Gladly forever adore Him.**

## **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.**