

If You Will Trust in God to Guide You

1. If you will trust in God to guide you and place your con - fi - dence in Him,
 2. What gain is there in fu - tile weep - ing, in help - less an - ger and dis - tress?
 3. In pa - tient trust a - wait His lei - sure, in cheer - ful hope, with heart con - tent
 4. Sing, pray, and keep His ways un - swerv - ing, of - fer your ser - vice faith - ful - ly,

you'll find Him al - ways there be - side you, to give you hope and strength with - in.
 If you are in His care and keep - ing, in sor - row will He love you less?
 to take what - e'er your Fa - ther's plea - sure and all dis - cern - ing love has sent.
 and trust His word; though un - de - serv - ing, you'll find His prom - ise true to be.

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