

O Jesus, I Have Promised

ANGEL'S STORY

1. O Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve Thee to the end;
2. O let me feel Thee near me, the world is ev - er near;
3. O let me hear Thee speak - ing in ac - cents clear and still,
4. O Je - sus, Thou hast prom - ised to all who fol - low Thee

be Thou for - ev - er near me, my Mas - ter and my Friend;
I see the sights that daz - zle, the tempt - ing sounds I hear;
a - bove the storms of pas - sion, the mur - murs of self - will;
that where Thou art in glo - ry there shall Thy ser - vant be;

I shall not fear the bat - tle if Thou art by my side,
my foes are ev - er near me, a - round me and with - in;
O speak to re - as - sure me, to hast - en or con - trol;
and, Je - sus, I have prom - ised to serve Thee to the end;

nor wan - der from the path - way if Thou wilt be my guide.
but, Je - sus, draw Thou near - er, and shield my soul from sin.
O speak, and make me lis - ten, Thou Guard - ian of my soul.
O give me grace to fol - low, my Mas - ter and my Friend.

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