

PSALM 73 C. M.

PRAYER

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In sweet com-mun-ion, Lord, with Thee I con-stant-ly a-bide ;

My hand Thou hold-est in Thy own To keep me near Thy side.

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[Selected Stanzas]

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| <p>2 Thy counsel through my earthly way
 Shall guide me and control,
 And then to glory afterward
 Thou wilt receive my soul.</p> | <p>4 Though flesh and heart should faint
 and fail,
 The Lord will ever be
 The strength and portion of my heart,
 My God eternally.</p> |
| <p>3 Whom have I, Lord, in heaven but
 Thee,
 To Whom my thoughts aspire?
 And, having Thee, on earth is nought
 That I can yet desire.</p> | <p>5 To live apart from God is death,
 'Tis good His face to seek;
 My refuge is the living God,
 His praise I long to speak.</p> |