

Cling to the Lord

Be very careful to ... walk in all his ways and to keep his commandments and to cling to him and to serve him with all your heart and with all your soul. (Joshua 22:5, ESV)

1. Cling to the Lord ev'-ry day of your life,
2. Cling to the Lord; ev-er cleave to His Word;

Through joy and sor- row, in peace and in strife.
Fol- low the truth, and do not be de- terred.

Stud- y His Book; it will guide all your ways,
Stead- fast- ly stand- ing and con- quer- ing sin,

Lead- ing you al- ways to of- fer Him praise.
God will pro- vide strength and cour- age with- in.

Cling to the Lord, and stay close by His side;

Trust in His grace, and in His love a- bide.

The image shows a musical score for two systems. Each system consists of a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is one sharp (F#). The first system of music is for the lyrics "Cling to the Lord, in what- ev- er you do;". The second system is for the lyrics "Hold to His prom- is- es, faith- ful and true." The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line with chords and some melodic movement in the right hand.

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