

# Search Diligently, Pray Always

Solo, Unison or Two-part treble voices

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$\text{♩} = 78$

Measures 1-5 of the score. The vocal line begins with a whole rest, followed by a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The piano accompaniment starts with a half note C4, followed by a half note G3. The dynamic marking is *mp*.

Measures 6-11 of the score. The vocal line continues with a quarter note C5, a quarter note B4, a quarter note A4, and a quarter note G4. The piano accompaniment continues with a half note C4, followed by a half note G3. The dynamic marking is *mp*.

Words of wis-dom wait for me, Writ-ten for my day, Works of ho-ly scrip- ture like a  
lov- ing Fa- ther waits for me to come to Him in prayer, He will grant me strength to stand through

Measures 12-17 of the score. The vocal line continues with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, and a quarter note C5. The piano accompaniment continues with a half note C4, followed by a half note G3. The dynamic marking is *mf*.

lamp to light my way, Teach-ings of the pro- phets\_ that tes- ti- fy of Christ, That  
all I must en- dure, He of- fers me His Spi- rit\_ and love that con- quers fear, And

Measures 18-21 of the score. The vocal line continues with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note B4, and a quarter note C5. The piano accompaniment continues with a half note C4, followed by a half note G3. The dynamic marking is *mf*.

speak of hope and end- less joy and ev- er- last- ing life, So I will search dil- i- gent- ly,  
when I seek His coun- sel I will find Him e- ver near,

22 pray al - ways be - liev - ing in His word, And all things in hea - ven and earth will work to - ge - ther for my

28 *1. mp* good. 30 A *2.* good.

34 *mf* Ce - les - tial glo - ry waits for me, a pro - mise sure and bright, If

40 I will walk up - right - ly with the Sa - vior as my guide, He will walk be - side me a -

*Melody:*

*Optional harmony:*

He will guide me

46 48 50

long this mor-tal path, And lead me home, an heir with Him to all the Fa-ther hath, So I will

on my path, And lead me home to all the Fa-ther hath, So I will

52 54 56

search dil-i-gent-ly, pray al-ways, be-liev-ing in His word, And all things in hea-ven and

search and pray al-ways, be-liev-ing in His word, And all things in hea-ven and

58 60 62

earth will work to-geth-er for my good. *rit.*

earth will work to-geth-er for my good.

*mp rit. p*