

# A Closer Walk

1. No More Walkin In The Shadows For Me  
I'll Get That Spring Back In My Step You Wait And See.  
I'm Gonna Stay In Bright Sunshine From Now On.  
I'm Gonna Brighten The Corner Night Is Gone.  
I Want The See The World Thru Childlike Eyes Of Wonder.  
I Want To Marvel At The Lightening And The Thunder.  
And Love Each Day No Matter What It Brings.  
Cause Life's A Gift, Thanks Is A Hymn That I Must Sing.

## Chorus

Weill Just Need A Closer Walk & I Just Need A Little Talk  
With The Keeper Of This Heart Of Mine  
I Just Need That Simple Peace Of Mine.  
You Know I Need To Count My Blessings  
And I'll Count Them One By One.  
I'll Just Lean On The Everlasting Arms  
With The One Who Keeps Me From All Harms.  
Just A Closer Walk.

Just A Closer Walk With Thee Grant It Jesus Is My Plea  
Daily Walking Close To Thee Let It Be Dear Lord, Let It Be.

2. I Want To Spread Some Cheer And Have A Cup Of Tea  
I Want That Joy Deep In My Heart To Be Set Free.  
And Look Forward To Tasks That Come My Way.  
Cause Life's Adventure Is Each And Every Day

As we look at our lives we often wonder, when is God going to use me. It seems like all I do is get up go to work and come home. I feel like my life is stagnant. Many times the Lord is preparing us for what is to come. I believe that if we stay close to our Savior, He can use us in many ways that may seem small to us, but are huge to others that are touched by us. Lately I have found out that things I did as a teenager totally changed friends lives for the good. One became a pastor, and he remembers vividly the moment when he became a Christian and I was helping him find his way. I do remember it, but to him it was life changing. I have to confess that even when someone is nice to me in small ways, it can change my demeanor for the whole day. Everything we do can help someone. Many times when I find myself in the shadows of life, I know I need a closer walk, and that song helps me put life in perspective. Within my song "A Closer Walk" is the old standard hymn, "**Just a Closer Walk.**"

## Just a Closer Walk With Thee - Traditional

No one knows where this hymn came from, but it is one of the most widely sung and loved hymns. It appeared in the 1930's and was performed at African American church conventions. It's popularity grew

from there. The words are such a comfort, I find myself singing it quite often when I need to remember I am not alone.

*Just a closer walk with thee. Grant it Jesus is my plea.*

*Daily walking close to thee. Let it be dear Lord let it be.*