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VERSE 1
F Gm Bb Dm C
Thou my everlasting portion, more than friend or life to me
F Gm Bb C F
All along my pilgrim journey, savior, let me walk with thee

CHORUS 1
F C
Close to thee, close to thee
Bb
All along my pilgrim journey
C
Savior, let me walk so
Eb Bb/D
Close to thee, close to thee
Gm
All along my pilgrim journey
C F
Savior, let me walk with thee

VERSE 2
Not for ease or worldly pleasure, nor for fame my prayer shall be
Gladly will I toil and suffer, only let me walk with thee

CHORUS 2
Close to thee, close to thee
Gladly will I toil and suffer
Only let me walk so
Close to thee, close to thee
Gladly will I toil and suffer
Only let me walk with thee

VERSE 3
Lead me through the vale of shadows, bear me o'er life's fitful sea
Then the gate of life eternal, may I enter, Lord, with thee

CHORUS 3
Close to thee, close to thee
Then the gate of life eternal
May I enter, Lord, so
Close to thee, close to thee
Then the gate of life eternal
May I enter, Lord, with thee