

Father, Lead Me Day by Day

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SATB

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1. Fa - ther, lead me day by day, Ev - er in Thine own sweet way;
2. When in dan - ger, make me brave; Make me know that Thou canst save;
3. When I'm tempt - ed to do wrong; Make me stead - fast, wise, and strong;
4. May I do the good I know, Be Thy lov - ing child be - low,

Teach me to be pure and true; Show me what I ought to do.
Keep me safe by Thy dear side; Let me in Thy love a - bide.
And when all a - lone I stand, Shield me with Thy might - y hand.
Then at last go home to Thee, Ev - er - more Thy child to be.

The musical score is written for SATB voices. It features a treble and bass staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). The melody is primarily in the treble staff, with the bass staff providing harmonic support. The lyrics are arranged in four lines, each corresponding to a different verse. The first line of lyrics is followed by the second line of lyrics, and so on. The score ends with a double bar line.