

JESUS, WITH THY CHURCH ABIDE

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1. Je - sus, with Thy church a-bide, Thou her Sav-ior, Lord and guide,
 2. Save her love from grow-ing cold, make her watch-men strong and bold,
 3. Stronga-against the hosts of sin, foes with-out and foes with-in,

while on earth her faith is tried; we be-seech Thee, hear us.
 fence her round, Thy peace-ful fold; we be-seech Thee, hear us.
 by Thy help her tri-umph win; we be-seech Thee, hear us.

Keep her life and doc-trine pure; grant her pa-tience to en-dure,
 May her lamp of truth be bright; bid her bear a-loft her light
 Then shall she all-glor-ious be, from the stain of guilt set free,

trust-ing in Thy prom-ise sure; we be-seech Thee, hear us.
 far in realms of a-lien night; we be-seech Thee, hear us.
 ev-er-more to live with Thee; we be-seech Thee, hear us.