

TRUST AND OBEY

(words by **John Henry Sammis** (1846-1919))

When we walk with the Lord
In the light of His Word,
What a glory He sheds on our way!
While we do His good will,
He abides with us still,
And with all who will trust and obey.

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*Trust and obey, for there's no other way
To be happy in Jesus,
But to trust and obey.*

Not a shadow can rise,
Not a cloud in the skies,
But His smile quickly drives it away;
Not a doubt nor a fear,
Not a sigh nor a tear,
Can abide while we trust and obey. ¹

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Not a burden we bear,
Not a sorrow we share,
But our toil He doth² richly repay;
Not a grief nor a loss,
Not a frown nor a cross,
But is blest if we trust and obey.

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But we never can prove
The delights of His love
Until all on the altar we lay;
For the favour He shows,
For the joy He bestows,
Are for them who will trust and obey.

¹ In some hymn books, verse 2 of the original is omitted.

² In *BBC Songs of Praise*, '**doth**' is altered to '**will**' in verse 3 line 3.

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Then in fellowship sweet
We will sit at His feet.
Or we'll walk by His side in the way;
What He says we will do,
Where He sends we will go;
Never fear, only trust and obey.

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