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Song

**Cares Chorus
Carly Ochoa**

Breakthrough Prayer Intro/Prayer

All Knowing God, we come to you in surrender, knowing that our once familiar paths are now crisscrossed with uncertainty. We reach out to you O Lord, asking that you show us Your ways, teach us Your paths. Help us to walk by faith and not simply by sight. Amen.

Words of Welcome

Morning Prayer

O God our Father, hear me, who am trembling in this darkness, and stretch forth Your hand unto me; hold forth Your light before me; recall me from my wanderings; and with you being my guide, may I be restored to myself and to You. Amen.

*St. Augustine of Hippo (354-430)
(bishop, theologian, philosopher)*

Praise

Lead me, guide me, along the way,
For if you lead me I cannot stray.
Lord, let me walk each day with thee.
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

**Lead Me, Guide Me
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I am weak and I need thy strength and power
To help me over my weakest hour.
Help me through the darkness thy face to see,
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

Lead me, guide me, along the way,
For if you lead me I cannot stray.
Lord, let me walk each day with thee.
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

Help me tread in the paths of righteousness,
Be my aid when Satan and sin oppress.
I am putting all my trust in thee.
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.



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Lead me, guide me, along the way,
For if you lead me I cannot stray.
Lord, let me walk each day with thee.
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

I am lost if you take your hand from me,
I am blind without thy Light to see,
Lord, just always let me thy servant be.
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

Lead me, guide me, along the way,
For if you lead me I cannot stray.
Lord, let me walk each day with thee.
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, The power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

New Testament Reading

1 John 3:16-24

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him

whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.



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Praise

He Leadeth me: O blessed thought!
O words with heavenly comfort fraught!
Whatever I do, wherever I be,
Still 'tis God's hand that Leadeth me.

He leadeth me, he leadeth me,
By his own hand he leadeth me;
His faithful follower I would be,
For by his hand he leadeth me.

Sometimes mid scenes of deepest gloom,
Sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom,
By waters still, o're troubled sea,
'Tis his hand that leadeth me.

He leadeth me, he leadeth me,
By his own hand he leadeth me;
His faithful follower I would be,
For by his hand he leadeth me.

Lord, I would place my hand in thine,
Nor ever murmur nor repine;
Content, whatever lot I see,
Since 'tis my God that leadeth me.

He leadeth me, he leadeth me,
By his own hand he leadeth me;
His faithful follower I would be,
For by his hand he leadeth me.

And when my task on earth is done,
When by thy grace the victory's won,
E'en death's cold wave I will not flee,
Since God through Jordan leadeth me.

He leadeth me, he leadeth me,
By his own hand he leadeth me;
His faithful follower I would be,
For by his hand he leadeth me.

**He Leadeth Me:
O Blessed Thought
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Sermon

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