

What A Friend We Have In Jesus

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What a Friend we have in
Have we tri - als and temp -
Are we weak and heav - y

Je - sus,
ta - tions?
la - den,

All our sins and griefs to
Is there trou - ble an - y -
Cum - bered with a load of

bear!
where?
care?

What a priv - i - lege to
We should ne - ver be dis -
Pre - cious Sav - ior, still our

car - ry
cour - aged;
ref - uge!

Ev - ery - thing to God in
Take it to the Lord in
Take it to the Lord in

prayer!
prayer!
prayer!

O what peace we of - ten
Can we find a friend so
Do thy friends de - spise, for -

for - feit,
faith - ful,
sake thee?

O what need - less pain we
Who will all our sor - rows
Take it to the Lord in

bear,
share?
prayer!

All be - cause we do not
Je - sus knows our ev - ery
In His arms He'll take and

car - ry
weak - ness;
shield thee;

Ev - ery - thing to God in
Take it to the Lord in
Thou wilt find a sol - ace

prayer!
prayer!
there.