

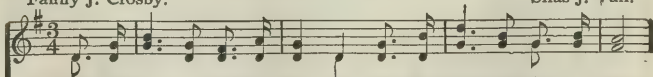
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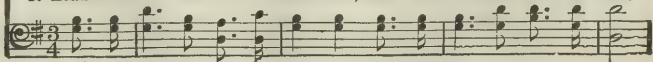
Fanny J. Crosby.

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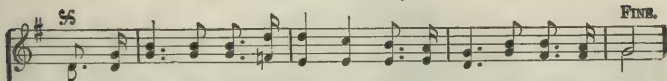
Silas J. Vail.



1. Thou, my ev - er - last-ing por - tion, More than friend or life to me;
2. Not for ease or world-ly pleas-ure, Nor for fame my prayer shall be;
3. Lead me thro' the vale of shad - ows, Bear me o'er life's fit - ful sea;



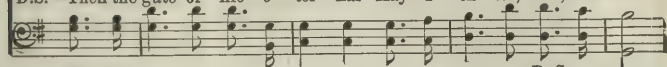
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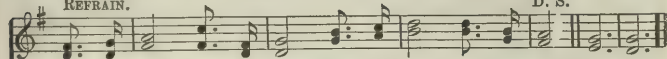
D.S.—All a - long my pil-grim jour - ney, Sav - ior, let me walk with Thee.

D.S.—Glad-ly will I toil and suf - fer, On - ly let me walk with Thee.

D.S.—Then the gate of life e - ter - nal May I en - ter, Lord, with Thee.



REFRAIN.



Close to Thee, close to Thee, Close to Thee, close to Thee; A - MEN.

