My goal is God Himself, not joy, nor peace (revised)

Longings — For God

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(Guitar)

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1. My goal is God Him - self, not joy, nor peace,

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Nor ev - en bless - ing, but Him - self, my God;

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'Tis His to lead me there— not mine, but His—

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At a - ny cost, dear Lord, by a - ny road.

2. So faith bounds forward to its goal in God,
And love can trust her Lord to lead her there;
Oh, may He save me from myself, that God
May flood my being with His all fore'er.

3. No matter if the way be sometimes dark,
No matter though the cost be oft-times great,
He knoweth how I best shall reach the mark,
The way that leads to Him must needs be strait.

4. One thing I know, I cannot say Him nay;
One thing I do, I press towards my Lord;
My God my glory here, from day to day,
And in the glory there my great Reward.