

# Hymn Sheet Music

## I Would Be True

Howard A. Walter (1883–1918)

Joseph Yates Peek (1843–1911)

1. I would be true, for there are those who trust me; I would be  
2. I would be friend of all— the foe, the friend-less; I would be  
3. I would be prayer-ful thru each bus-y mo-ment; I would be

pure, for there are those who care. I would be strong, for  
giv-ing, and for-get the gift. I would be hum-ble,  
con-stant-ly in touch with God. I would be tuned to

there is much to suf-fer; I would be brave, for there is much to  
for I know my weak-ness I would look up, and laugh, and love, and  
hear His slight-est whis-per; I would have faith to keep the path Christ

dare, I would be brave for there is much to dare.  
lift, I would look up and laugh, and love, and lift.  
trod, I would have faith to keep the path Christ trod.