

# Prayer, Sweet Prayer

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1. How sweet is the bless-ing Our hearts find in prayer! What com - fort and peace it in-  
 2. How blest the as - sur - ance, When tri - als as-sail, That prayer brings us strength to o'er-  
 3. The young and the ag - èd Re - joice in its power, The weak and the wea - ry at

- spires! A ref - uge in sor - row, A sol - ace in care, A shield in temp-ta - tion's fierce  
 - come; That our plead-ings for suc - cor Shall ev - er pre-vail, Till at length we shall reach that blest  
 heart; Thro' life's toil - some jour-ney, In death's try - ing hour Its prom - is - es will not de-

*Refrain*

fires.  
 home. Prayer, prayer, Balm for wound-ed hearts; Prayer,  
 - part. Prayer, sweet prayer, prayer, sweet prayer Sa-tan's darts; Prayer, sweet prayer,

prayer, Shield for Sa-tan's darts; Prayer, prayer, Safe-guard all the way,  
 prayer, sweet prayer a - long the way

Till life's rug-ged path leads up To realms of day.