

Lead, Kindly Light

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1. Lead, kind - ly Light, a - mid th'en - circ - ling gloom, Lead Thou me on!
2. I was not ev - er thus, nor prayed that Thou Shouldst lead me on;
3. So long Thy power hath blest me, sure it still Will lead me on.
4. Mean - time, a - long the nar - row rug - ged path, Thy - self hast trod,

The night is dark, and I am far from home; Lead Thou me on! Keep Thou my
I loved to choose and see my path; but now Lead Thou me on! I loved the
O'er moor and fen, o'er crag and tor - rent, till The night is gone, And with the
Lead, Sav - ior, lead me home in child - like faith, Home to my God. To rest for -

feet; I do not ask to see The dist - ant scene; one step e - nough for me.
gar - ish day, and, spite of fears, Pride ruled my will. Re - mem - ber not past years!
morn those an - gel fa - ces smile, Which I have loved long since, and lost a - while.
- ev - er af - ter earth - ly strife In the calm light of ev - er - last - ing life.