

# Though Kindred Ties Around Us

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1. Though kin - dred ties a - round us Like i - vy branch-es twine, Though  
2. We meet in Christ-ian con - verse, We speak of joys to come, We  
3. One look, one smile from Je - sus, For whom our souls would live, Not

life has ma - ny plea - sures That o'er my path - way shine, Though  
lift our eyes ex - pect - ant To E - den's bliss - ful home; Though  
Heav'n's tran - scend - ent beau - ty Such ho - ly joy can give; Be-

words to friend-ship sac - red More sweet than mu - sic fall, One look, one smile from  
sweet and pre - cious bless-ings With ev - ery mo - ment fall, One look, one smile, from  
- yond the si - lent ri - ver Though spir - it voic-es call, One look, one smile, from

*Refrain*  
Je - sus Is dear-er far than all.  
Je - sus Is dear-er far than all. Dear - er, yes, dear - er, Dear-er far than all, One  
Je - sus Is dear-er far than all.

look, one smile from Je - sus Is dear-er far than all.