

Farther On

Shape Note Hymn

D G D A7

Soprano



As we tra-vel through the de-sert Storms be-set us by the way,
Oh, my bro-ther, are you wea-ry Of the rough-ness of the way?
Je - sus, Je - sus will go with you He will lead you to the throne?
At my grave, oh still be sing - ing Though you weep for one that's gone.

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But be-yond the riv - er Jor-dan Lies a field of end - less day.
Does your strength be-gin to fail you And your vi - gor to de-cay?
He who dyed his gar-ments for you, And the wine-press trod a-lone.
Sing it as we once did sing it, It is bet - ter far - ther on.

A7 D A7

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Far - ther on, still go far-ther Count the mile-stones one by one.

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Je - sus will for - sake you ne-ver It is bet - ter far - ther on.