

DOES THE JOURNEY SEEM LONG?

Text: Joseph Fielding Smith

Vocal Solo

Arr. Martin Green

$\text{♩.} = 46$

The musical score consists of four systems of music. System 1 (measures 1-6) starts with a piano introduction followed by the vocal line. System 2 (measures 7-12) continues the piano and vocal parts with lyrics. System 3 (measures 13-18) continues the piano and vocal parts with lyrics. System 4 (measures 19-24) continues the piano and vocal parts with lyrics.

Does the
jour - ney seem long, The path rug - ged and steep? Are there
bri - ars and thorns on the way? Do sharp stones cut your
feet As you strug - gle to rise To the heights thru the

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20

heat of the day? Is your heart faint and sad, Your soul

25

wea - ry with - in, As you toil 'neath your bur - den of care?

30

Does the load heav - y seem You are forced now to

34

lift? Is there no one your bur - den to share? Let your

Rit.

39

heart be not faint Now the jour - ney's be - gun; There is

43

One who still beck - ons to you. So look up - ward in

48

joy And take hold of his hand; He will lead you to

52

heights that are new. A land

4

57

ho - ly and pure, Where all trou - ble doth end, And your

61

life shall be free from all sin, Where no tears shall be

66

shed, For no sor - rows re - main. Take his hand and with

71

him en - ter in, en - ter in.