

469 Take time to be holy

Unison

Capo 1:

G C Am⁷ D

1 Take time to be ho - ly, speak oft with thy Lord;
 2 Take time to be ho - ly, the world rush - es on;
 3 Take time to be ho - ly, let him be thy guide,

G C D⁷ G Am⁷ G

a - bide in him al - ways and feed on his word.
 spend much time in se - cret with Je - sus a - lone.
 and run not be - fore him, what - ev - er be - tide;

D⁷ G C D G D

Make friends of God's chil - dren, help those who are weak,
 By look - ing to Je - sus, like him thou shalt be;
 in joy or in sor - row still fol - low thy Lord,

G C D⁷ G Am G

for - get - ting in noth - ing his bless - ing to seek.
 thy friends in thy con - duct his like - ness shall see.
 and, look - ing to Je - sus, still trust in his word.

- 4 Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul,
 each thought and each motive beneath his control;
 thus led by his Spirit to fountains of love,
 thou soon shalt be fitted for service above.

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Alternative tune

Capo 3:

D G D A7 D

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G D A E7 A

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 and run not be - fore him, what - ev - er be - tide;

A7 D A7 D

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