

3. J'ai trouvé auprès de toi

When you're near

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Allegro
♩ = 136 **16**


A *Ruth:*

When you're near, I've al - ways found joy and friend - ship
 all a - round. And you were there to com - fort me when wee - ping filled my eyes.
 I lost one I tru - ly loved but you stayed by my side. Do
B
 not ask me to go a - way, with you I wish to stay. Where you go, I'll go too,
 I'll live a - ny - where with you. Your God I'll a - dore; your
C
 peo - ple mine e - ver - more. When you're near, I find you're just
 some - one I can al - ways trust. Your con - stant good - ness and your love do
 fill me through and through. You wel - comed me as I am, now
 I can say to you: You're like **D** a mo - ther in my need, a
 faith - ful friend in - deed. Where you go, I'll go too, I'll live

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 a - ny - where with you. Your God I'll a - dore; your

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 peo - ple mine e - ver-more. When you're near, I've


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 al - ways found faith and hope and love a - bound. You have shown me the

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 source of life is Is - rael's one true God. E - ven in your deep dis - tress He

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 holds you in his arms. My fa - ther's gods have no such might. To

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 leave them now is right. Where you go, I'll go too, I'll live

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 a - ny - where with you. Your God I'll a - dore; your

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 peo - ple mine e - ver-more. Where you go, I'll go too, I'll live

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 a - ny - where with you. Your God I'll a - dore; your

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 peo - ple mine e - ver-more. Your peo - ple mine e - ver-more.