

# UPWARD CALL Devotional Tapestry

## I Press Ahead Toward Christ

Success and failure are just words,  
spoken from our small-minded ignorance.  
Money and respect are simply mediums of human exchange.  
They can only give what other humans have to give,  
creatures who share our own deep neediness.  
Glory and gold are too shallow to provide  
what we truly need and crave.  
Physical comfort is an imposter,  
pretending to be lasting peace.  
In the end, death shows them all for what they are:  
empty delusions.

Jesus Christ is the eternal, holy, glorious God  
made fully human.  
In Him, my Father, I can  
know You and  
love You and  
become like You.  
In Him all my goals,  
all my expectations,  
all life's possibilities are raised and reset.  
In Him I am becoming more than I ever dreamed I could be.  
Jesus Christ is my desire.  
I trust HIM.  
I press ahead toward HIM.

For in Him, Father,  
I become one with You  
completely and forever,  
in all Your holiness and love.

# The Upward Call

Philippians 3:7-14

♩ = 88

N.C. N.C. Am  $\frac{Cadd^9}{G}$   $\frac{C}{G}$   $\frac{C}{E}$   $\frac{CM7}{E}$  F  $\frac{E}{E}$  Dm7  $\frac{Cadd^9}{E}$   $\frac{C}{E}$  G N.C.  $\frac{G^6}{B}$  Am7

1. My joy, my goal, my one de - sire, To know and  
2. My heart has heard His up - ward call. All else I

Dm7  $\frac{Dm7Am}{E}$  F G sus  $\frac{G\text{ sus}}{D}$  G G7 C  $\frac{C}{B}$  Am  $\frac{Cadd^9}{G}$   $\frac{C}{G}$   $\frac{C}{E}$   $\frac{CM7}{E}$  F  $\frac{E}{E}$  Dm7

trust leave You more, be - hind. My Fa - ther God, my strength, my  
One glimpse of all You are in

G Am7  $\frac{G}{B}$  C  $\frac{C}{E}$  FM7 G  $\frac{G}{D}$   $\frac{G\text{ sus}}{D}$  G7 C sus  $\frac{C\text{ sus}}{G}$  C  $\frac{G}{B}$  Am  $\frac{Am}{G}$

hope, My life, my love, my Lord! I set a -  
Christ, And life is re - de - fined. O Fa - ther

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F  $\frac{F}{E}$  Dm7 Em F G sus G  $\frac{G}{B}$  Am  $\frac{Am}{G}$  F F Em Dm7

side God, all Your less - er things And glad - ly all dis -  
God, Your name, Your will, Your glo - rious King - dom

G sus  $\frac{G\text{ sus}}{D}$  G7 G C CM7 Am  $\frac{C\text{ add}^9}{G}$   $\frac{C}{G}$   $\frac{C\text{ CM}^7}{E\ E}$  F  $\frac{F}{E}$  Dm7

own come To share the joy of Je - sus  
Till all a - round and all with -

G Am7  $\frac{G}{B}$  C  $\frac{C}{E}$  FM7 G  $\frac{G\text{ G sus}}{D\ D}$  G7 C  $\frac{C}{G}$  C

Christ For love of You a - lone.  
in Love's per - fect work is done.