

# I Need Thee, Precious Jesus

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1. I need Thee, pre - cious Je - sus, For I am ver - y poor;  
2. I need Thee, pre - cious Je - sus, I need a friend like Thee,  
3. I need Thee, pre - cious Je - sus, I need Thee day by day,

A stran - ger and a pil - grim, I have no earth - ly store.  
A friend to soothe and pit - y, A friend to care for me.  
To fill me with Thy full - ness, To lead me on my way.

I need the love of Je - sus To cheer me on my way,  
I need the heart of Je - sus To feel each anx - ious care,  
I need Thy Ho - ly Spir - it To teach me what I am,

To guide my doubt - ing foot - steps, To be my strength and stay.  
To tell my ev - 'ry tri - al, And all my sor - rows share.  
To show me more of Je - sus, To point me to the Lamb. A - men.