Confident discussions with Jesus

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When I am lonely and need a friend

Jesus takes my hand and guides me in

To a place of such tranquility

In his presence I bow in humility

I have never wanted his presence more

Than in these times when I'm so lonely and insecure

All my plans and dreams seem unfulfilled

He gentle reminds me he loves me still

He says, "Do not fear my gentle one

My fight for you has just begun"

I remind him that I am so afraid

He whispers that I should simply call his name

Sometimes I cry and ask how long?

He constantly reminds me to remain steadfast and strong

"Be strong in persecution, be strong in distress

Be strong for your brethren who witness your test."

"You are not alone, for I am right here
Guiding you, coaching you, eliminating your fear

Do you not remember where I brought you from?

We've been through this before, my little one."

"Okay, okay", I mumbled in reply,

"You cannot blame me, Jesus, for asking you why"

You can obviously tell that I am far from perfect
But God clearly thinks that I am well WORTH IT!

He reminds me of all his great and wonderful things

And all his marvelous and unique little blessings

So quite frankly there seems to be no real reason

Why I can't simply wait out the storm for this season

But oh, I can be so stubborn and impatient

OBEDIENCE HE WANTS, he says DO NOT FOCUS ON THE HATE!

He will not tarry for he is on his way

And when he moves there will be no delay

I've resigned myself to wait in faith

