

Nearer The Cross

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||: C#m /// | B /// | A /// | F#m /// :||

Verse 1

Nearer the cross my heart can say
I am coming nearer. I am coming nearer
Nearer the cross from day to day
I am coming nearer. I am coming nearer
Nearer the cross where Jesus died
Nearer the fountain's crimson tide
Nearer my Savior's wounded side
I am coming nearer (2x)

Bridge

C#m B/D#
To the cross is where I find my refuge and strength
E
To the cross is where I find
F#m
My refuge and strength, God

Verse 2

Nearer the Christian's mercy seat
I am coming nearer. I am coming nearer
Feasting my soul on manna sweet
I am coming nearer. I am coming nearer
Stronger in faith more clear I see
Jesus Who gave Himself for me
Nearer to Him I still would be
Still I'm coming nearer
I am coming nearer

Verse 3

Nearer in prayer my hope aspires
I am coming nearer. I am coming nearer
Deeper in love my soul desires
I am coming nearer. I am coming nearer
Nearer the end of toil and care
Nearer the joy I long to share
Nearer the crown I soon shall wear
I am coming nearer (x2)