

# *Lead Them My God To Thee*

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Lead them, my God, to Thee, Lead them to Thee,  
These children dear of mine, Thou gavest me;  
O, by Thy love divine, Lead them, my God, to Thee;  
Lead them, my God, to Thee, Lead them to Thee.

2

When earth looks bright and fair, Festive and gay,  
Let no delusive snare Lure them astray;  
But from temptation's power, Lead them, my God, to Thee,  
Lead them, my God, to Thee, Lead them to Thee.

3

E'en for such little ones, Christ came a child,  
And in this world of sin Lived undefiled.  
O, for His sake, I pray, Lead them, my God, to Thee,  
Lead them, my God, to Thee, Lead them to Thee.

4

Yea, though my faith be dim, I would believe  
That Thou this precious gift Wilt now receive;  
O take their young hearts now, Lead them my God to Thee,  
Lead them, my God, to Thee, Lead them to Thee.



**Capital City Seventh-day Adventist Church**

*Adventurer Family Blessings*

Saturday, October 5, 2013 | 3:30pm

*"Children are the heritage of the Lord and we are answerable to Him for our management of His property"*

## *Family Blessing*

Entrance of Families

Opening Prayer

*Elder*

Song of Blessing

*Hymn# 653*

*Lead Them My God to Thee*

The Tradition of Blessing

*Pastor*

Reading from the Scripture

*Parents and Children*

Affirmation of Value

*Parents*

Family Pledge

*Parents & Adventurers*

Song of Blessing

Dedicatory Prayer

*Pastor*

## *Readings from Scripture*

**Parents:** “These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.” — *Deuteronomy 6:6-7*

**Adventurers:** “Children, honor your parents in the Lord, for this is right. ‘Honor your father and mother’ — which is the first commandment with a promise—that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy long life on the earth.” — *Ephesians 6:1-3*

## *Family Pledge*

Adventurers, you are growing to be such fine young boys and girls! Now that you are old enough to understand, your parents want you to know about the blessings they want to give you with God’s help.

Every person needs to know that they are loved. When God gave you to your parents, He gave them a very special person to love for the rest of their lives.

**(child’s name) , I pledge to you the blessing of my love, always, no matter what.**

In order to grow, every person needs food and shelter. Every person needs to be taught how to live in a happy loving way.

**(child’s name) , I pledge to you the blessing of my help, in every way I can give it, so you can grow strong in Jesus.**

Every child makes mistakes and needs to know that they are forgiven. Every parent makes mistakes too.

**(child’s name) , I pledge to you the blessing of forgiveness when you make mistakes and apologies when I make mistakes.**

Adventurers, you are a very important part of your family. You have the power to help make your family a happy place or a sad place. Do you pledge to do your part to make your family a happy family?

**We do.**