

# What A Friend (SDA Hymn 499)

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Tempo: 6/8, bpm: 114

Intro: DD GG DD G A

D G D A  
What a friend we have in Jesus, All ours sins and griefs to bear,  
D G Ddim D A D  
What a privilege to carry, Everything to God in prayer!  
A D D7 G D A  
O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,  
D G Ddim D A D  
All because we do not carry, Everything to God in prayer!

D G D A  
Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?  
D G Ddim D A D  
We should never be discouraged; Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
A D D7 G D A  
Can we find a friend so faithful, Who will all our sorrows share?  
D G Ddim D A D  
Jesus knows our every weakness; Take it to the Lord in prayer!

D G D A  
Are we weak and heavy laden, Cumbered with a load of care?  
D G Ddim D A D  
Precious Savior still our refuge, Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
A D D7 G D A  
Do thy friends despise forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
D G Ddim D A D  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee, Thou wilt find a solace there.