

# What A Friend (SDA Hymn 499)

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Tempo: 6/8, bpm: 124

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        Bb C  
All because we do not carry,                  Everything to God in prayer!

F                                  Bb        F                                  C  
Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?  
F                                  Bb        Fdim F                                  C F  
We should never be discouraged;                  Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
C                                  F        F7 Bb        F                                  Gm C  
Can we find a friend so faithful, Who will all our sorrows share?  
F                                  Bb        Fdim F                                  C F        Bb C  
Jesus knows our every weakness;                  Take it to the Lord in prayer!

F                                  Bb        F                                  C  
Are we weak and heavy laden, Cumbered with a load of care?  
F                                  Bb        Fdim F                                  C F  
Precious Savior still our refuge,                  Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
C                                  F        F7 Bb        F                                  Gm C  
Do thy friends despise forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
F                                  Bb        Fdim F                                  C F  
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,                  Thou wilt find a solace there.  
Bb    C    F    Bb    C    F    Bb    C    F  
Take it to the Lord. Take it to the Lord. Take it to the Lord.