

COLD YET WARM PRAYER

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LYRICS

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READING 1. In John 14, Jesus promised the Holy Spirit would come to us, to help us-- to pray. He did-- and Romans 8:26 promises that God's Spirit Himself prays FOR us, that Yahweh God will help us-- even when our hearts feel "Cold" -- He helps us become Warm.

VERSE 1

Cold my hands, yet warm of heart: Warm... Loving my Dear God.
I pray, don't let me depart ever, EVER from You, God!

READING 2, PSALM 73 a Cold yet Warm PRAYER, verses 21-24

"Thus my heart was grieved, and I was vexed in my mind. I was so foolish and ignorant; **I was like a beast before You.** Nevertheless I am continually with You; You hold me by my right hand. You WILL guide me with Your counsel, and afterward receive me to glory."

CHORUS

Help me heart be always warm, showing others Your love, LORD.
Help my hands, feet, lips REFLECT the HEAT of God's Holiness.
Through these, God, help me REJECT ev'ry lying thought that tempts.
ECHO: *REJECT ev'ry lying thought that tempts.*
When LIFE feels Cold, I pray, "YET help my heart stay Warm with FAITH."
ECHO: *"Help my heart stay Warm with FAITH."*

VERSE 2

Cold my feet, yet warm of heart: Charmed, always, by God's Love.
I need Your help, God, to guard my mind that can wander off. CHORUS

READING 3. **PSALM 73 my Cold yet Warm PRAYER,** verses 25-28: " Whom have I in heaven but You, LORD? And there is none upon earth that I desire besides You. My flesh and my heart fail; But God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.... 28 But it is good for me to draw near to God; I have put my trust in the Lord GOD, THAT I MAY DECLARE ALL YOUR WORKS. "

VERSE 3

Cold my lips yet warm in speech: Teaching God's Word passionately!
Help my lips speak all Your Truth, drawing others to Honor You. CHORUS

READING 4. Psalm 73: 28, "It is GOOD for me to draw near to God!"

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Song Story. Written during the 3 hours between the Easter Sunrise Service-- when my fingers were freezing as I played Resurrection hymns outdoors on guitar-- and the 11 AM cantata when my fingers rejoiced to play 25 minutes of more Songs of Joy... in a warm sanctuary. The FIRST time the congregation's hearts could come inside to worship, after 13 months of COVID closure.