

216R Onward, Onward, Though the Region

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1. On - ward, on - ward, though the re - gion where you are be
2. By the thorn road, and none o - ther, is the mount of
3. By a trust - ful, calm en - deav - or, guid - ing, cheer - ing,
4. Be this world the wis - er, strong - er, for a life of
5. Pray that ere your du - ty ful - fill, that you be the

drear and lone; God has set a guar - dian le - gion
vi - sion won; Tread it, shrink not, sis - ter, bro - ther,
like the sun, earth - bound heart, ere shall de - liv - er,
pain and peace; While it needs you, oh, no long - er
faith - ful one, by the prayer of Je - sus, 'My will

ver - y near you; press e'er on.
Je - sus trod it; press e'er on.
Oh, for their sake, press e'er on.
pray now for a quick re - lease.
not, but yours, Ab - ba be done.'

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