

Children of the Heavenly Father

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music: Trad. Swedish melody, lyrics: Lina Sandell

Dulcimer Arrangement
by Joe Collins

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2. God His own doth tend and nourish;
In His holy courts they flourish.
From all evil thins He spares them;
In His mighty arms He bears them.

3. Neither life nor death shall ever
From the Lord His children sever;
Unto them His grace He showeth,
And their sorrows all He knoweth.

4. Though He giveth or He taketh,
God His children ne'er forsaketh;
His the loving purpose solely
To preserve them pure and holy.