

## « Abba, Father », words of mercy

( HOLY CARE. 8.7.8.7 )

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1. « Ab - ba, Fa - ther », words of mer - cy,  
 2. Je - sus prayed for us, O Fa - ther,  
 3. Ho - ly Fa - ther — such His plead - ing —  
 4. Thus by God the Son com - mitt - ed

Words of com - fort, words of love,  
 Ere He left this world of woe,  
 Keep, O keep them in Thy name ;  
 To the Fa - ther's tend - er care,

Cov - ering all our needs and long - ings  
 Ask - ing Thee to guard and keep us  
 As Thou lov - edst Me, O Fa - ther,  
 Thus by God the Fa - ther lov - ed,

Till we reach our home a - bove !  
 Safe - ly all our path be - low.  
 Thou hast lov - ed them the same.  
 Can we doubt, or can we fear ?

Alternate Tunes : Stuttgart, 14 ; Dijon, 179.