

The Agony of Choice

Genesis 16:1-16

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W _____ is not defined by M _____

Does "God help those who help themselves"?

In Genesis 16, a plan of _____ unfolds:

Abram

Sarai

Hagar

Listening with Your Heart

His Eye Is on the Sparrow

Why should I feel discouraged?
Why should the shadows come?
Why should my heart be lonely
And long for heav'n and home,
When Jesus is my portion?
My constant Friend is He:
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know He watches me;

His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know He watches me.
I sing because I'm happy—
I sing because I'm free—
For His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know He watches me.

"Let not your heart be troubled."
His tender word I hear,
And resting on His goodness,
I lose my doubt and fear.
Though by the path He leadeth,
But one step I may see:
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know He watches me;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know He watches me.

Whenever I am tempted,
Whenever clouds arise,
When songs give place to sighing,
When hope within me dies,

I draw the closer to Him;
From care He sets me free:
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know He watches me;
His eye is on the sparrow,
And I know He watches me.

