

The Gift of Our Friends

REFRAIN *Joyfully, proudly* (♩ = ca. 100)

D Em/D D

We are blest by the Lord with the gift of our friends. We are

D Em A D F#m Bm7

blest by the Lord with the gift of our life. Let us walk hand in hand in

G D Bm G A D *rit. last time* (☺) (Fine)

friend - ship and peace in the light of the Lord Je - sus Christ.

VERSES

Em Em/D D D/C# Em7 A7 D

1. We give thanks for friends who love us, who know our sor - rows and our pain;
 2. We give thanks for friends who hold us, who wipe our tear - drops when we cry;
 3. We give thanks for friends who help us, who in their need let us help, too;

Em Em/D D D/C# Em Em/D Em/C# Em/B A7sus4 A7 D.C.

1. friends who bring us smiles and laugh-ter like sun-shine af - ter the rain.
 2. friends who teach us, friends who guide us and give us free - dom to fly.
 3. friends who praise us and for - give us, for they are friends that are true.