

Jesus, Friend of little children

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**Jesus, Friend of little children,
Be a friend to me;
Take my hand, and ever keep me
Close to Thee.**

**Teach me how to grow in goodness,
Daily as I grow;
Thou hast been a child, and surely
Thou dost know.**

**Step by step O lead me onward,
Upward into youth;
Wiser, stronger, still becoming
In Thy truth.**

**Never leave me, nor forsake me;
Ever be my friend;
For I need Thee, from life's dawning
To its end.**

Walter J. Mathams