

Josh. 24:15; Rom. 1:16; Phil. 1:21; Phil. 3: 8; Matt.
16:24-26; John 6:27; Job. 22:25

I'd Rather Have Jesus

Verse 1

I'd rather have Jesus than silver or gold;
I'd rather be His than have riches untold;
I'd rather have Jesus than houses or lands;
I'd rather be led by His nail-pierced hand.

Refrain:

Than to be the king of a vast domain
Or be held in sin's dread sway;
I'd rather have Jesus than anything
This world affords today. [Refrain]

Verse 2

I'd rather have Jesus than men's applause;
I'd rather be faithful to His dear cause
I'd rather have Jesus than worldwide fame;
I'd rather be true to His holy name. [Refrain]

Verse 3

He's fairer than lilies of rarest bloom;
He's sweeter than honey from out the comb;
He's all that my hungering spirit needs;
I'd rather have Jesus and let Him lead. [Refrain]

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