

# 587 - Take Time to Be Holy

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Key: F major  
Meter: 6/8

GEORGE C. STEBBINS

INTRO **F** | **B $\flat$**  | **F/C** **C7** | **F**

VERSE 1 **F** **B $\flat$ /F** **F** **F/C** **C7** **F**  
Take time to be | ho- ly, | Speak oft with thy | Lord;  
**F** **B $\flat$ /F** **F** **C/G** **G** **C**  
Abide in Him | al- ways | And feed on His | Word.  
**C7** **F** **C7** **F**  
Make friends of God's | children, | Help those who are | weak;  
**F** **B $\flat$**  **F/C** **C7** **F**  
Forgetting in | nothing | His blessing to | seek.

TURN-  
AROUND **F** | **B $\flat$**  | **F/C** **C7** | **F**

VERSE 2 Take time to be holy, The world rushes on;  
Spend much time in secret With Jesus alone.  
By looking to Jesus Like Him thou shalt be;  
Thy friends in thy conduct His likeness shall see.

VERSE 3 Take time to be holy, Let Him be thy guide,  
And run not before Him Whatever betide;  
In joy or in sorrow Still follow thy Lord,  
And looking to Jesus, Still trust in His Word.

VERSE 4 Take time to be holy, Be calm in thy soul;  
Each thought and each motive Beneath His control;  
Thus led by His Spirit To fountains of love,  
Thou soon shalt be fitted For service above.

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Capo 3: D major  
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**D G/D D A/E E A**  
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