Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

1. Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land.
   I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand.

2. Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;
   Let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through.

3. When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
   Death of death and hell's destructive land me safe on Canaan's side.

4. O Guide me, O Thou Great Jehovah, still my strength and shield;
   Feed me till I want no more; (want no more) feed me till I want no more.

5. Be thou my strength and shield; (strength and shield) be thou still my strength and shield.
   Ever give to thee; (give to thee) I will ever give to thee.

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