

## *Don't Be Afraid*

*Don't be afraid,  
my child,  
I am with you.  
Don't be dismayed,  
I am near.*

*Don't be afraid,  
my child,  
I am here.  
Don't be dismayed,  
you are not alone.*

*Don't be afraid  
my child,  
I will strengthen you.  
Don't be dismayed,  
I am your God.*

*Don't be afraid  
my child,*

*I will help you.  
Don't be dismayed,  
I will hold you up.*

*Yes, I will uphold you  
and never let you go.  
With my mighty strong hand,  
with my victorious right hand  
I will hold you up*

*Don't be afraid,  
my child,  
I am here.  
Don't be dismayed,  
I am near.*

*Take heart,  
my child,  
I am your God  
and I will be with you  
'til the end of the age.*

*Carla G.  
August 2010*