



His Eye is on the Sparrow

Lyrics of this song are in the public domain.

<p>Why should I feel discouraged Why should the shadows come Why should my heart be lonely And long for heavenly home When Jesus is my portion? My constant friend is He His eye is on the sparrow And I know he watches me His eye is on the sparrow And I know He watches me</p> <p>I sing because I'm happy I sing because I'm free For His eye is on the sparrow And I know He watches me</p>	<p>“Let not your heart be troubled” His tender word I hear And resting on His goodness I loose my doubts and fears Tho' by the path He leadeth But one step I may see His eye is on the sparrow And I know He watches me His eye is on the sparrow And I know He watches me</p> <p>Whenever I am tempted Whenever clouds arise When song gives place to sighing When hope within me dies I draw the closer to Him For care He sets me free His eye is on the sparrow And I know He watches me His eye is on the sparrow And I know He watches me</p>
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Song Reader

Analyze the theme of a text and the writer's development of that theme. (CCSSR2 and 5)

- ❖ What is the theme of the song?

Underline five lines that support your answer.

Answer this set of questions on another page.

- ❖ What techniques did the writer use to get the idea across?
On another page, list three techniques the writer used and give an example of each.
- ❖ What do you infer the writer of this song wanted others to feel through the song.
How does the song create that mood?
- ❖ This song is part of the heritage of African Americans. What values does the song represent?