

Never Lose the Golden Rule  
Fanny Crosby, 1870.  
John Adcock.

Never lose the golden rule,  
Keep it still in view;  
Do to others as you would  
They should do to you.  
Kindly, gently,  
In their burden bear a part,  
Meekly chiding  
With a loving heart.

Refrain

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Help the feeble ones along,  
Cheer the faint and weak;  
To the sorrow-laden heart  
Words of comfort speak.  
Freely, freely,  
From the bounty of your store,  
Cheerful givers,  
Help the humbler poor.

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Love the Lord, the first command,  
With thy soul and mind;  
Love thy neighbor as thyself,  
Both in one combined.  
Justly, justly,  
With each other strive to live,  
Ever ready,  
Willing to forgive.

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