

Praise the One who breaks the darkness

sung by St Martin's Voices

- 1 Praise the One who breaks the darkness
with a liberating light.
Praise the One who frees the prisoners
turning blindness into sight.
Praise the One who preached the Gospel
curing every dread disease.
Calming storms and feeding thousands
with the very bread of peace.
- 2 Praise the One who blest the children
with a strong yet gentle word.
Praise the One who drove out demons
with a piercing two-edged sword.
Praise the One who brings cool water
to the desert's burning sand.
From this well comes living water
quenching thirst in every land.
- 3 Praise the one true love incarnate:
Christ who suffered in our place.
Jesus died and rose for many
that we may know God by grace.
Let us sing for joy and gladness
seeing what our God has done.
Praise the one redeeming glory.
Praise the One who makes us one.

Rusty Edwards (born 1955)

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Confession

Lord God,
we have sinned against you:
we have done evil in your sight.
We are sorry and repent.
Have mercy on us according to your love.
Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin.
Renew a right spirit within us
and restore us to the joy of your salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Absolution

Blessed is the Lord

For he has heard the voice of our prayer.

*Therefore shall our hearts dance for joy
and in our song will we praise our God.*

Seek ye first the kingdom of God

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- 1 Seek ye first the kingdom of God,
 and His righteousness,
 and all these things shall be added unto you.
 Allelu, alleluia.

- 2 Ask and it shall be given unto you,
 seek and ye shall find;
 knock and the door shall be opened up to you.
 Allelu, alleluia.

- 2 We shall not live by bread alone,
 but by every word
 that proceeds from the mouth of God.
 Allelu, alleluia.

Karen Lafferty (born 1948)

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Brother, sister, let me serve you

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- 1 Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace
to let you be my servant, too.
- 2 We are pilgrims on a journey,
and companions on the road;
we are here to help each other
walk the mile and bear the load.
- 3 I will hold the Christlight for you
in the night-time of your fear;
I will hold my hand out to you,
speak the peace you long to hear.
- 4 I will weep when you are weeping;
when you laugh, I'll laugh with you;
I will share your joy and sorrow
till we've seen this journey through.
- 5 When we sing to God in heaven,
we shall find such harmony,
born of all we've known together
of Christ's love and agony.
- 6 Brother, sister, let me serve you,
let me be as Christ to you;
pray that I may have the grace
to let you be my servant, too.

Richard Gillard (born 1953)

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