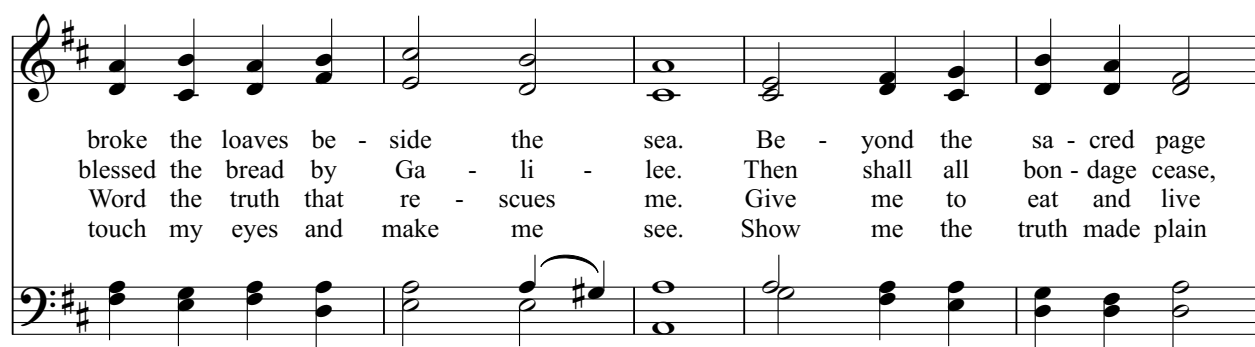



Break Now the Bread of Life



1 Break now the bread of life, dear Lord, to me, as once you
2 Bless your own Word of truth, dear Lord, to me, as when you
3 You are the bread of life, dear Lord, to me; your ho - ly
4 O send your Spi - rit now, dear Lord, to me, that he may



broke the loaves be - side the sea. Be - yond the sa - cred page
blessed the bread by Ga - li - lee. Then shall all bon - dage cease,
Word the truth that re - scues me. Give me to eat and live
touch my eyes and make me see. Show me the truth made plain



I seek you, Lord; my spi - rit waits for you, O li - ving Word.
all fet - ters fall; and I shall find my peace, my All in all!
with you a - bove; teach me to love your truth, for you are love.
with - in your Word, for in your book re - vealed I see the Lord.

Text: Mary A. Lathbury (1841-1913);
vs. 3-4 Alexander Groves (1842-1909), alt.
Tune: William F. Sherwin (1826-1888), alt.



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