

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

Edwin Hatch

1. Breathe on me, Breath of God,
 fill me with life anew,
 that I may love all that you love
 and do what you would do.
2. Breathe on me, Breath of God,
 until my heart is pure;
 until with you I have one will,
 to do and to endure.
3. Breathe on me, Breath of God,
 and all my life refine;
 until this earthly part of me
 glows with your fire divine.
4. Breathe on me, Breath of God,
 so shall I never die,
 but live with you the perfect life
 of your eternity.

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