

- 1 God would not will what we have seen,
the terror, horror, death;
for God is love, the source of life,
the essence of our breath.

- 2 God would not break the damaged reed,
the smouldering wick is fanned;
yet human power, our want and greed
can counter what God planned.

- 3 Our will is free, our way we choose,
to act for good or ill,
to offer love, to calm or heal,
to damage or to kill.

- 4 God give us courage in the face
of carnage that we see,
to work for life, to live for love,
to set your people free.

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