



BREATH OF LIFE

Come Holy Spirit, find in us your dwelling
And make us carry your Spirit,
Transparent with your light
Come in us and guide our energies,
Ô you the gift that gives for the sake of giving
You who unites without confusion,
Move in the heart of your churches
So that each and every one of us recognizes the truth
Whether working or resting,
In peace or in war, in joy and in pain,
Touch our hearts.
Be the source, the fountain, our life.
Uncover our faces, give us epiphanies
Without you, without the Word, with the Father,
Man is nothing, he is not man,
Since to be flesh without the spirit is not to be fully human
Forgive us our trespasses
Give us strength to heal our wounds,
To love this world more than we are capable of now
Enable us to work towards reconciliation,
To be overcomers and work towards justice
Once strangers, may we be found again
Take lies away from us
And according to your promise, lead us towards the truth

Bless our trust,

Strengthen the bonds of love,

Breathe life into our hope

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