Break Now the Bread of Life

1 Break now the bread of life, dear Lord, to me, as once you
broke the loaves beside the sea. Be - yond the sa - cred page
I seek you, Lord; my spir - it waits for you, O liv - ing Word.

2 Bless your own word of truth, dear Lord, to me, as when you
blessed the bread by Gal - i - lee. Then shall all bond-age cease,
all fet - ters fall; and I shall find my peace, my All - in - All!

3 You are the bread of life, dear Lord, to me, your ho - ly
word the truth that res - cues me. Give me to eat and live
with you a - bove; teach me to love your truth, for you are love.

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