

## Bread That Was Sown

**Refrain:**

**Bread that was sown in our hills and valleys  
now harvested becomes one;  
from all the world gather your people, O God,  
into the feast of your love.**

1. With grateful hearts, we sing our joy for knowing  
Spirit within, among us all;  
life and knowledge, revealed through your word:  
Jesus, the Christ Emmanuel. *Refrain*
2. Leaven and wheat: so let us be for others,  
nurturing good with earnest care,  
bringing to birth new life where hope has gone stale,  
faith-giving moments to share. *Refrain*
3. Planted, your name becomes our thirst for more being  
hope to be bread for others' lives,  
vision of what it means to give all that we are:  
this is the seed you have sown. *Refrain*
4. Feast of justice to which all are welcome  
to share the fullness of our God;  
in Jesus' rising beyond death we've found  
new springs of hope in our lives. *Refrain*
5. Harvest of peace where love can be the song  
that heals brokenness with listening;  
touching, perceiving in bread of Jesus' life,  
gift to become our flesh as well. *Refrain*
6. Sign of the nearness of one whose life sustains us,  
heart of our heart, creator friend,  
calling us all to be spirit alive:  
you, God, our future, lasting life. *Refrain*