

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

1. Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christ - ian love; The
 2. Be - fore our Fa - ther's throne We pour our ar - dent pray'rs; Our
 3. We share our mu - tual woes, Our mu - tual bur - dens bear, And
 4. When we a - sun - der part, It gives us in - ward pain; But
 5. This glo - rious hope re - vives Our cour - age by the way, While
 6. From sor - row, toil and pain, And sin, we shall be free; And

fel - low - ship of kin - dred minds Is like to that a - bove.
 fears, our hopes, our aims, are one, Our com - forts and our cares.
 oft - en for each oth - er flows The sym - pa - thiz - ing tear.
 we shall still be joined in heart, And hope to meet a - gain.
 each in ex - pec - ta - tion lives, And longs to see the day.
 per - fect love and friend - ship reign Through all e - tern - i - ty.

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