ST MATTHEW DCM William Croft (1678-1727) O 1. Thine Lord. days of arm. in thy And lo! touch brought life and 2. Be thou de liver 3. our great er old Was strong heal and to save: health. Gave speech, and strength, and sight: Thou still. Lord of life and death: Tt. umphed o'er dis tri and ease And and vouth newed re fren $\mathbf{z}\mathbf{y}$ Re and quick soothe store en, and death, dark O'er and the ness grave: calmed Owned thee the Lord of light; bless With thine al might y breath: To thee they went, the blind, the And Lord, now, \mathbf{O} be to here To that work, hands and eyes that dumb, The pal the lame, sied and bless, Al might of yore, y as Give dom's heav enlv wis see, The lep with his taint ed er ed less In crowd street, by rest That whole and sick. and weak and life, The sick with fev frame. ered by Gen eth's Ascouch, nesar shore. May thee strong, praise ev er more. Edward Plumptre (1821-19)