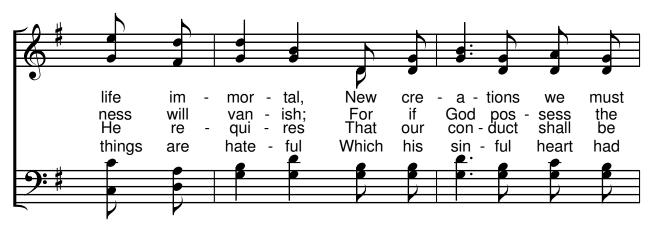
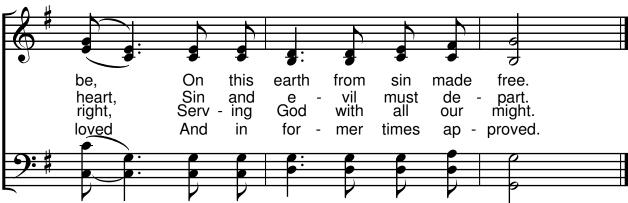
187. THE NEW BIRTH OF WATER AND SPIRIT

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- 5. Singing, praying, God adoring, Fills the new born person's mind; From the world to God returning Strength and power he will find. And in all his operation, Showing that regeneration, Surely maketh all things new, And gives grace God's will to do.
- 6. Thus there will be manifested
 An entire change of heart,
 Which as will be seen and noticed,
 Holiness of life impart.
 Heart and mind and self renewing
 All the evil thoughts subduing,
 Faith and love will be the theme,
 And God's Spirit rule supreme.
- 7. O, my God, I bow before Thee:
 Now in me Thy work fulfill!
 By Thy Spirit's hov'ring o'er me
 Sanctify my heart and will.
 Let me not be lost forever,
 But reborn of Thee, O Saviour;
 May I, child-like, Thee adore,
 Learn to love Thee more and more.
- Lord, let me continue ever
 In this state, so richly blest,
 Until death earth's bonds shall sever,
 And I enter into rest.
 O, let nothing from Thee take me;
 Thou art mine, do not forsake me;
 Then with joy I hence depart,
 E'er to be where, Lord, Thou art!