

MANY NAMES AND MANY FACES

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Many names and many faces
Help us God, to learn your ways.
Words and pictures ever changing
Faith grows deeper day by day.
As we seek to know you better,
As we strive your flock to be,
Each new day brings us new visions
Glimpses of eternity.

Our Creator and Redeemer,
Our Sustainer, Guide and Friend.
Fire by night and cloud at morning,
Rolling thunder, quiet wind.
Mighty ruler, gentle shepherd
Mother eagle on her nest,
Living Bread, renewing water,
Source of mercy, peace and rest.

Helpless infant in a manger
Dying savior on the cross.
Solid rock in time of trouble
Comforter in time of loss.
As Sophia source of wisdom
Sign of peace as hovering dove.
Trinity, yet one forever
Holy Spirit, endless love.

Womb of life and caring parent
Fierce avenger, judge as well.
God of space, remote, eternal
God with us, Immanuel.
As it was in the beginning
Word was God and God was Word.
So we each share words and visions
Of the God we've seen and heard.

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