

A font evokes the womb of God

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1. A font e - vokes the womb of God, a place the soul takes form in
2. But soon e - nough the wa - ter breaks and sleep - ing souls, un - curled, are
3. Un - like the warm, sus - tain - ing womb, this hard, de - manding earth -- it
4. But bap - tized, born of God we are; the new im - print is deep, and
5. But seek to grow as all things grow and trust what grace as - sumes -- that

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rhy - thm with the puls - ing heart, kept safe and fed and warm.
pushed with un - re - lent - ing will in - to a wait - ing world.
is a ter - ri - fy - ing gift, the mir - a - cle of birth.
chil - dren who a - wake to God will not re - turn to sleep . . .
time will man - i - fest the Life re - ceived with - in the womb.

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