

Our Blest Redeemer, Ere He Breathed

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1.) Our blest Re - deem - er, ere He breathed His
2.) And His that gen - tle voice we hear, Soft
3.) And ev - 'ry vir - tue we pos - sess, And
4.) Spir - it of pur - i - ty and grace, Our

ten - der last fare - well, A Guide, a Com - fort -
as the breath of even, That check each tho't, that
ev - 'ry vic - t'ry won, And ev - 'ry tho't of
weak - ness, pity - ing, see; O make our hearts Thy

er, be - queathed With us to dwell.
calms each fear, And speaks of heav'n.
ho - li - ness, Are His a - lone.
dwell - ing - place, And wor - thier Thee. A - men.