

O Holy Spirit, by whose breath

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Komm, Gott Schopfer
LM

(Bar lines are irrelevant to the rhythm)

**O Holy Spirit, by whose breath,
life rises vibrant out of death;
come to create, renew, inspire;
come, kindle in our hearts your fire.**

**You are the seeker's sure resource,
of burning love the living source,
protector in the midst of strife,
the giver and the Lord of life.**

**In you God's energy is shown,
to us your varied gifts make known.
Teach us to speak, teach us to hear;
yours is the tongue and yours the ear.**

**Flood our dull senses with your light;
in mutual love our hearts unite.
Your power the whole creation fills;
confirm our weak, uncertain wills.**

**From inner strife grant us release;
turn nations to the ways of peace.
To fuller life your people bring
that as one body we may sing;**

**Praise to the Father,
Christ, his Word, and to the Spirit: God the Lord,
to whom all honor, glory be
both now and for eternity.**

Rhabanus Maurus