

# Blest Be the Tie That Binds

WORDS: John Fawcett, 1782

**1. Blest be the tie that binds  
our hearts in Christian love;  
the fellowship  
of kindred minds  
is like to that above.**

**3. We share  
each other's woes,  
our mutual burdens bear;  
and often for  
each other flows  
the sympathizing tear.**