Come, gracious Spirit, heavenly Dove Hymnal 1982 no. 512 Melody: Mendon L.M.



Come, gracious Spirit, heavenly Dove,

with light and comfort from above;

be thou our guardian, thou our guide

o’er every thought and step preside.

The light of truth to us display,

and make us know and choose thy way;

plant holy fear in every heart,

that we from thee may ne’er depart.

Lead us to Christ, the living way,

nor let us from his precepts stray;

lead us to holiness, the road

that we must take to dwell with God.

Lead us to heaven, that we may share

fullness of joy for ever there;

lead us to God, our final rest,

to be with him for ever blest.

Words: Simon Browne (1680-1732)

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