

## Song of Creation *(inclusive language)*

***Refrain:***

**In the beginning all was empty and void;  
God's spirit moved above the waters.  
Out of the darkness came a word that brought new life:  
"This is so good, let there be light."**

1. Then in the stillness of the night  
your Word leapt into our city of turmoil;  
a man was born, a man of peace and not of war,  
revealing hopes yet unfulfilled. *Refrain*
2. Jesus, his name and what a gift he was,  
inspired to know the Father's vision.  
And he so loved us more than his own life.  
What greater gift could he have shared. *Refrain*
3. So we are called to give flesh to our word  
and be creators with the Spirit.  
Wonder will be the sign that we are on the way,  
sharing our hope, alive our word. *Refrain*