Blest Be The Tie That Binds

VerseText: John Fawcett, 1782;
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D G A
Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;
D G A
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.
G D/F# A (A)
Before our Father's throne we pour our ardent prayers;
G D/F# G A
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, our comforts and our cares.

Bm A G A
As we hear Your call, and move out from this place
Bm A G A
May we know Your heart, and live our lives by faith
G D/F# A Bm
As we spread Your love, as we show Your grace,
G D/F# A //
share Your hope with a world in pain
D
Bless us Lord.

D G A
We share each other's woes, our mutual burdens bear;
D G A
And often for each other flows the sympathizing tear.
G D/F# A (A)
When we asunder part, it gives us inward pain;
G D/F# G A
But we shall still be joined in heart, and hope to meet again.

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