

# Lord, Let Thy Spirit Permeate

*For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword,  
piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and marrow,  
and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. (Hebrews 4:12, ESV)*

1. Lord, let thy Spir- it per- me- ate This  
2. As this clear air sur- rounds the earth, Thy  
3. As from these clouds drops down in love The  
4. As these fair flowers ex- hale their scent In  
5. Thus life with- in our life- less hearts, Shall

heart and soul of mine; And my whole be- ing  
grace a- round me roll; As the fresh light per-  
pre- cious sum- mer rain, So from thy- self pour  
glad- ness at our feet, So from thy- self let  
make its glad a- bode; And we shall shine in

with thy grace Per- vade, O Life di- vine!  
vades the air, So pierce and fill my soul.  
down the flood That fresh- ens all a- gain.  
fra- grance breathe, More heav'n- ly and more sweet.  
beau- teous light Filled with the light of God.

Words: Horatio Bonar, mid-1800s

Music: Thomas Tallis, circa 1567

Tune: TALLIS' ORDINAL

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