

N.B.P.#399

Refrain:

***Spirit, Spirit of gentleness,
blow through the wilderness,
calling and free,
Spirit, spirit of restlessness,
stir me from placidness, Wind,
Wind on the sea.***

**1. You moved on the waters, you
called to the deep,
then you coaxed up the mountains
from the valleys of sleep;
and over the aeons you called to
each thing:
“Wake from your slumbers and rise
on your wings.”**

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**2. You swept through the desert,
you stung with the sand
and you goaded your people with a
law and a land;
and when they were blinded with
their idols and lies,
then you spoke through your
prophets to open their eyes.**

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**3. You sang in a stable, you cried
from a hill;**

**then you whispered in silence
when the whole world was still;**

**and down in the city you called
once again,**

**when you blew through your
people on the rush of the wind.**

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**4. You call from tomorrow, you
break ancient schemes;
From the bondage of sorrow the
captives dream dreams;
our women see visions, our men
clear their eyes;
With bold new decisions your
people arise.**

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