A New Day!

See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? Isaiah 43:19a

We spend much time in darkness mired, As we look o'er our shoulders; We fail to be truly inspired And let old sorrows smolder.

Too long all humans have been lost In never-ending night, By life's cruel winds battered and tossed With no safe port in sight.

We've struggled long and oft in vain To find the way back home, Invoking that old sad refrain As we in darkness roam.

The danger lurks with hidden mines And we have much to fear. Then suddenly a beacon shines To show us where to steer.

The night is over for us all! New light shines with God's grace. Whatever harms or pain befall, Love's mercy can erase.

No longer locked in sin and grief, Christ offers us the key To find true healing and relief And blessed harmony.

"See, I am doing a new thing." What awesome news God gives! We are renewed like tress in spring As green growth sprouts and lives!

We're safe at last, forgiven, blessed, As in God's care we stay. We have a place that's safe to rest As we greet a new day!

