1. At the dawning of creation, God divided light from shade, 
   And He made us, male and female. In His image we were made.

(Refrain) And the life that God created we will honor and defend 
   From conception to the heavens; from beginning to the end.

2. God the Father called a people, and He drew them by the hand 
   And He led them through the desert and into the Promised Land.

3. In His saving Incarnation, Jesus bore a human frame 
   To restore the sacred Image hidden by our sin and shame.

4. And He walked among the people, healed the sick and raised the dead, 
   And the poor rejoiced at hearing the appealing words He said.

5. On the Cross, our gracious Savior Jesus laid His body down, 
   Dying as the Man of Sorrows; giving humankind a crown.

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