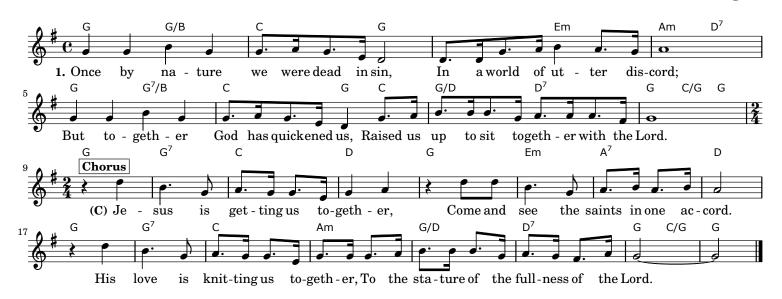
Once by nature we were dead in sin

The Church — As the One New Man

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- 2. Thus with all saints we can apprehend All the vast dimensions of God. Knowing Christ's love passes all we know, We're together filled to fullness with our God.
- Now we know the purpose of our God,
 Visible the mystery became:
 Christ, the church, together now we see,
 And together put the enemy to shame.
- 4. For this cause we pray the Father God—
 Strengthen Thou with might our inner man;
 Make Yourself at home in all our hearts,
 Root us, ground us in Your love and for Your plan.

- **5.** In the Body we'll be fitly framed As the many members Christ supply; Working in the measure of each part, All by growth in love the Body edify.
- 6. Now we're one His purpose to fulfill, As the one new man of His plan. Unto Him be glory in the church, And in Jesus Christ forevermore—Amen!