

Cast Thy Bread Upon the Water

Original lyrics by William J Kirkpatrick 1881, rearranged by Tom Baker

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The image displays a musical score for the hymn "Cast Thy Bread Upon the Water". It is written for piano and voice. The score is organized into five systems, each with a measure number at the beginning. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line of each system. The music is in 6/8 time and features a simple, melodic vocal line and a piano accompaniment consisting of chords and moving lines in both hands.

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Cast thy bread u - pon the wa - ters, Ye who have a - bun dant store It may float u - pon the bil - lows
Cast thy bread u - pon the wa - ters Ye who have but scant sup ply, An - gel eyes will watch a - bove it,

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It may land on some far shore Cast thy bread u - pon the wa - ters Far and wide your trea - sures flow!
He shall guide it by and by!

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Scat - ter it with wil - ling fin - gers shout for joy to see it go! Cast thy bread u - pon the wa - ters, Waft it on with
When you sleep in sol - emn si - lence Neath the morn and

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pray - ing breath, In some dis - tant doubt ful mo - ment, It may save a soul from death.
eve - ning dew, Strang er's hands, which you have strength - ened, may strew lil - lies o - ver you.

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Cast thy bread u - pon the wa - ters, Far and wide your treas - ures flow,

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Scat - ter it with will - ing fin - gers, - shout for joy to see it go!