Song: Build Us a Table

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Lyrics

Verse 1

Walls mark our bound’ries
and keep us apart;
walls keep the world
from our eyes and our heart.

Tables are round,
making room for one more,
welcoming friends
we had not known before.

Refrain

So build us a table
and tear down the wall!

Christ is our host.
There is room for us all!

Build us a table
and tear down the wall!

Christ is our host....
There is room for us all!

**VERSE 2**

Walls make us sure
who is in and who’s out;
walls keep us safe
from all question and doubt,
but at a table
in open exchange
new ties are formed
as our lives rearrange.

**REFRAIN**

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and tear down the wall!
Christ is our host.
There is room for us all!
Build us a table
and tear down the wall!
Christ is our host....
There is room for us all!

**VERSE 3**

Once we were strangers,
divided, alone.
hate and distrust
built a wall
stone by stone.
Now at a table
the bread that we share
joins us to Christ
in a circle of care.

REFRAIN
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and tear down the wall!
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Build us a table
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