

For the Beauty of the Earth

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For the beau - ty of the earth, For the glo - ry of the skies,
For the beau - ty of each hour Of the day and of the night,
For the joy of ear and eye, For the heart and mind's de - light,
For the joy of hu - man love, Broth - er, sis - ter, par - ent, child,
For your Church that ev - er - more Lifts its ho - ly hands a - bove,
For your - self, best Gift Di - vine, To this world so free - ly giv'n;

For the love which from our birth O - ver and a - round us lies:
Hill and vale, and tree and flow'r, Sun and moon, and stars of light:
For the mys - tic har - mo - ny Link - ing sense to sound and sight:
Friends on earth, and friends a - bove; For all gen - tle thoughts and mild:
Of - f'ring up on ev - 'ry shore Its pure sac - re - fice of love:
Word In - car - nate, God's de - sign, Peace on earth and joy in heav'n:

Lord of all, to you we raise This our hymn of grate - ful praise.