

# For the Beauty of the Earth

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For the beauty of the earth  
For the glory of the skies,  
For the love which from our birth  
Over and around us lies.

## *Refrain*

Lord of all, to Thee we raise,  
This our hymn of grateful praise.

For the beauty of each hour,  
Of the day and of the night,  
Hill and vale, and tree and flower,  
Sun and moon, and stars of light.

## *Refrain*

For each perfect gift of Thine,  
To our lives so freely given,  
Graces human and divine,  
Flowers of earth and buds of Heaven.

## *Refrain*

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