

# For the Beauty of the Earth

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G  $\frac{D7}{A}$  G  $\frac{D}{F\#}$  G  $\frac{C}{E}$   $\frac{D7}{F\#}$  G C  $\frac{D}{C}$   $\frac{G}{B}$  C  $\frac{G}{D}$  D G

1 For the beau - ty of the earth, for the glo - ry of the skies,  
 2 For the won - der of each hour of the day and of the night,  
 3 For the joy of hu - man love, broth - er, sis - ter, par - ent, child,  
 4 For the church that ev - er - more lift - eth ho - ly hands a - bove,  
 5 For thy - self, best gift di - vine, to our race so free - ly given;

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for the love which from our birth o - ver and a - round us lies,  
 hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light,  
 friends on earth and friends a - bove; for all gen - tle thoughts and mild,  
 of - fering up on ev - ery shore her pure sac - ri - fice of love,  
 for that great, great love of thine, peace on earth and joy in heaven,

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Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grate - ful praise.

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 MUSIC: Conrad Kocher (1786-1872); arr. William H. Monk (1823-1889)

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