

FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

G D G C D7 G C G/D D G

1. For the — beau - ty of the earth, For the glo - ry of the skies,
 2. For the — beau - ty of e - ven - ing, For the day and of the night,
 3. For the — joy of hu - man love, Both - er, sis - ter, par - ent, child,
 4. For your — Church, that ev - er - more, Lets its ho - ly hands a - bove,
 5. For Your - self, O Gift - vin - ger, To our world so free - ly giv'n,

D G C D7 G C G/D D G

1. For the — love which from our birth O - ver and a - round us lies:
 2. Hill and — vale, and tree and an - dle, For the sun and moon, and stars of light:
 3. Friends on — earth and friends a - bove; For all gen - tle thoughts and mild:
 4. Of - f'ring — up on ev - 'ry shore, A pure sac - ri - fice of love:
 5. For that — love from which we live, Peace on earth and joy in heav'n:

G D G D G G/D D G

1-5. Lord of all, to you we raise up our gift of grate - ful praise.

Note: When guitar and keyboard play together, keyboardists should improvise upon the guitar chords above the melody.

Text: 77 77 77; *Lyra Eucharistica*, 1864; Folliot S. Pierpont, 1835–1917, alt.
 Music: DIX; Conrad Kocher, 1786–1872; adapt. and keyboard acc. by William H. Monk, 1823–1889.