

# 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 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 your — Church, that ev - er - more Lifts its ho - ly hands a - bove,
5. For Your - self, O Gift Di - vine 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 flow'r, 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 will shine, Peace on earth and joy in heav'n:

G D G D G C G/D D G

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

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

Text: 77 77 77; *Lyra Eucharistica*, 1864; Folliot S. Pierpont, 1835–1917, alt.

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