

# SACRED CREATION

(The Canticle of Brother Sun)

REFRAIN (♩. = ca. 50)

Capo 3: (D) F (G6) B♭6 (D) F (G6) B♭6 (D) F (F#m) Am

Sa - cred the land, sa - cred the wa - ter, sa - cred the sky,

(Gmaj7) B♭maj7 (A) C (Bm) Dm (F#m/A) Am/C (G) B♭ (A) C

ho - ly and true. Sa - cred all life, sa - cred each oth - er;

(Em7) Gm7 (Gadd9/A) B♭add9/C (D) F (Gadd9/D) B♭add9/F (D) F (A/C#) C/E

all re - flect God who is good. \_\_\_\_\_

*Last time* (D) F *poco rit.* *Fine*

*to Verses*

## VERSES

(G) B♭ (D) F (G) B♭ (D/F#) F/A (Em7) Gm7 (Bm7) Dm7

1. All praise be yours through Broth - er Sun, bear - ing a like - ness of  
 2. Broth - er Wind and Air that per-vades, var - y their moods to sus -  
 3. Through Broth - er Fire you bright - en the night, strong and ro - bust \_\_\_\_\_ yet

(Gmaj9) B♭maj9 (A) C (Em7) Gm7 (D/F#) F/A (F) A♭ (Em7) Gm (Bm7) Dm7

1. you, Most High One. Sis - ter Moon and Stars who are pre - cious, splen - did,  
 2. tain all you've made. Sis - ter Wa - ter, use - ful and pure, \_\_\_\_\_ low - ly,  
 3. play - ful and bright. Sis - ter Earth, our moth - er who nur - tures, feed - ing,

(Em7) Gm7 *a tempo* (Em7/D) Gm7/F (Asus4) Csus4 (A) C (G/A) B♭/C (A) C *D.C.*

1. ride your glo - ri - ous sky. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. free - ly shar - ing her life. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. yield - ing flow - er and herb. \_\_\_\_\_

Text: Based on a text by St. Francis of Assisi, ca. 1182–1226, and the inspiration of Louis Vitale, OFM; Rufino Zaragoza, OFM, b. 1957.

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