

For the Beauty of the Earth (simpler)

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Arr: PKN - May 2024

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Essential

Optional

It's best to have a couple of unison verses and, if possible, vary which group sings Essential/Optional.

Introduction and interlude

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1. For the beau - ty of the earth, for the beau - ty of the skies,
2. For the beau - ty of each hour, of the day and of the night,
3. For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and brain's de - light
4. For each per - fect gift of thine to our race so free - ly giv'n

Ah, _____ ah _____

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for the love which from our birth ov - er and a - round us lies:
 hill and vale, and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light:
 for the mys - tic har - mon - y link - ing sense to sound and sight:
 grac - ces hu - man and div - ine, flowers of earth and buds of heav'n:

ah, _____ ah, _____

13 Chorus for all verses

Optional Rall last time

Fine

Christ our God, to thee we raise this our sac - ri - fice of praise.
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Pause last time

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Optional interlude