

OH LORD and CREATOR of LIFE

Lyrics and arr. B.Black
tune Irish traditional

$\text{♩} = 80$

The musical score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of eight staves of music, each with a corresponding line of lyrics. The lyrics are: "OH LORD AND CREATOR OF LIFE WHO HAS MADE ALL THE WORLD THAT WE SEE LET IT NEVER BE FAR FROM OUR MINDS THAT ALL NATURE IS SACRED TO THEE! THE FISH IN THE OCEAN'S GREAT DEEP ALL THE BEAUTIFUL BIRDS OF THE AIR AND THE BEASTS IN THE WILD FOREST GREEN THOU HAST PLACED THEM ALL UNDER OUR CARE!". The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and bar lines. Chord symbols are placed above the staff lines: F, Bb, F, F, F, Dm, C11, C7, F, Gm, Dm, Dm7, Bb, C, F11, F, Am7, F, Bb, Bb, Am7, Dm, C11, C7, F, Gm, Dm, Dm7, Bb, C, F11, F.

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LET IT NEVER BE FAR FROM OUR MINDS
THAT ALL NATURE IS SACRED TO THEE
ALL THE FISH IN THE OCEAN'S GREAT DEEP
ALL THE BEAUTIFUL BIRDS OF THE OF THE AIR
ALL THE BEASTS IN THE WILD FOREST GREEN
YOU HAVE PLACED THEM ALL UNDER OUR CARE!

ALL THE FLOWERS, THE VALLEYS AND HILLS
DEEP BLUE SKY O'ER THE SEA AND THE LAND
YES, THE RAIN AND THE SNOW AND THE CLOUDS
THEY INDEED ARE THE WORK OF THY HAND!
HELP US ALWAYS TO TREAT THEM WITH LOVE
AND THY GOOD FAITHFUL STEWARDS TO BE
AS WE SEE IN THE GREAT AND THE SMALL
THE REFLECTION OF THY MAJESTY!

BUT THE GREATEST CREATION OF ALL
IS THAT GIFT THOU HAST CHOSEN TO GIVE
KINDEST BLESSING TO DAUGHTERS AND SONS
WHO REJOICE EV'RY DAY THAT WE LIVE!
MAY BE THANK THEE BY OFF'RING TO SHARE
WITH THE POOR WHO CRY OUT IN THEIR NEED
LET OUR LOVE SOON RESPOND TO THEIR CALL
SACRED WORDS OF THY SON THUS TO HEED!

TINY HEART OF A CHILD STILL UNBORN
OR A HEART WITH ITS DAYS NEAR AN END
WE ARE SURE THEY ARE SAFE IN THY HANDS
NOT ON US DOES THE FUTURE DEPEND
NO MORE INNOCENT LIVES LOST, WE PRAY
LET THY LOVE REPLACE SORROW AND SHAME
MAY OUR PRAISE OF CREATION THIS DAY
HONOR LIFE IN THY SON'S BLESSED NAME!