

The Brethren Song

INTRO (Dm - G - A) X 4

Dm G A
Brethren come, give witness in this place
Dm G A
Joined by faith to embody lives of grace
Dm G A
Telling, giving until all have seen and heard
Dm G A
By the manner of our living we are grounded in God's Word

BRIDGE (G - A - G - A) with flute

Dm- G - Bb- A
Praise and thank to our Creator for the goodness of our earth
Dm- G Bb A
Air and water, field and flower, all the creatures and their worth

INTRO (Dm - G - A) X 2

Dm G A
In a world of fear and danger; anxiety release
Dm G A
We meet both friend and stranger in a ministry of peace
Dm G A
In the Spirit we surrender; our trust in God alone
Dm G A
Ego and agenda in humility lay down

BRIDGE (G - A - G - A) with flute

Dm *G* *Bb* *A*
In Your vineyard we will nourish the good gifts in our care
Dm *G* *Bb* *A*
Let the fruit of justice flourish to our Brethren everywhere

BRIDGE (G - A - G - A)

Dm *G* *A*
Recognize God's glory shining in diversity
Dm *G* *A*
We find that each one's story shapes our own identity
Dm *G* *A*
In ever-widening circles, there is no gender, creed, or race
Dm *G* *A*
He holds us brothers, sisters, in His warm forgiving grace

Dm *G* *Bb* *A*
Praise and thanks to our Creator for the goodness of our earth
Dm *G* *Bb* *A*
Air and water, filed and flower, all the creatures and their worth
Dm *G* *Bb* *A*
In your vineyard we will nourish the good gifts in our care
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OUTRO