

#756 O God of Every Nation





O God of every
nation, of every
race and land,
redeem the whole
creation with your
almighty
hand.





Where hate and
fear divide us and
bitter threats are
hurled, in love and
mercy guide us and
heal our
strife-torn
world.





From search for
wealth and power
and scorn of truth
and right, from
trust in bombs that
shower destruction
through
the night,





from pride of race
and station and
blindness to your
way, deliver every
nation, eternal God,
we pray.





Lord, strengthen
those who labor
that all may find
release from fear of
rattling saber, from
dread of
war's
increase;





when hope and
courage falter, you
still small voice be
heard; with faith
that none can alter,
your servants
undergird.





Keep bright in us
the vision of days
when war shall
cease, when hatred
and division give
way to love
and peace,



till dawns the
morning glorious
when truth and
justice reign and
Christ shall rule
victorious o'er all
the world's
domain.



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