

# God of All Harvests

God of sun and god of rain,

In you, there is no dryness.  
In you, no weed chokes the root.  
No blight withers the leaf.  
No frost bites at the blossom.

And so we pray for farmers and their  
harvests everywhere.

In you, seeds of tears yield a bountiful  
harvest of joy.  
May the rice farmer in Madagascar  
know such bounty.

In you, seeds of truth and courage yield  
a bountiful harvest of justice.  
May the coffee farmer in Honduras  
know such bounty.

In you, seeds of compassion yield a  
bountiful harvest of wisdom.  
May the cacao farmer in the  
Philippines know such bounty.

In you, seeds of hope yield a bountiful  
harvest of fulfillment.  
May the vegetable farmer in Haiti  
know such bounty.

In you, seeds of love yield a bountiful  
harvest of forgiveness and  
reconciliation.  
May the cassava farmer in Zambia  
know such bounty.

In you, seeds of the Gospel yield the  
glorious harvest that is our  
salvation.

God of all harvests, bless all planters  
everywhere:  
All who sow and all who gather,  
All who nourish and all who weed,  
All who thresh and bundle and  
bring to market.  
And bless all harvests.

Sprinkle your living water on our  
fields, on our relationships, on  
our communities, on our hearts.

And kiss us with the light and warmth  
of your undying sun.

May all our harvests reflect the  
Harvest that is yet to come.

**Amen**

