#134 Our World Is One World

Our world is one world: what touches one affects us all: the seas that wash us round about, the clouds that cover us, the rains that fall.

Our world is one world: the thoughts we think affect us all: the way we build our attitudes, with love or hate, we make a bridge or wall.

Our world is one world: its ways of wealth affect us all: the way we spend, the way we share, who are the rich or poor, who stand or fall?

Our world is one world: just like a ship that bears us all: where fear and greed make many holes, but where our hearts can hear a different call.

#190 Light of Ages and of Nations

Light of ages and of nations, every race and every time has received thine inspirations, glimpses of thy truth sublime. Always spirits in rapt vision passed the heavenly veil within, always hearts bowed in contrition found salvation from their sin.

Reason's noble aspiration truth in growing clearness saw; conscience spoke its condemnation, or proclaimed eternal law. While thine inward revelations told thy saints their prayers were heard, prophets to the guilty nations spoke thine everlasting word.

Lo, that word abideth ever; revelation is not sealed; answering now to our endeavor, truth and right are still revealed. That which came to ancient sages, Greek, Barbarian, Roman, Jew, written in the soul's deep pages, shines today, forever new.