

# The Sower's Song

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Oh God, I am furrowed like the field  
Torn open like the dirt  
And I know that to be healed  
That I must be broken first  
I am aching for the yield  
That You will harvest from this hurt

Abide in me  
Let these branches bear You fruit  
Abide in me, Lord  
As I abide in You

So I kneel  
At the bright edge of the garden  
At the golden edge of dawn  
At the glowing edge of spring  
When the winter's edge is gone  
And I can see the color green  
I can hear the sower's song

Abide in me  
Let these branches bear You fruit  
Abide in me, Lord  
Let Your word take root  
Remove in me  
The branch that bears no fruit  
And move in me, Lord  
As I abide in You

As the rain and the snow fall  
Down from the sky  
And they don't return but they water the earth and bring they forth life  
Giving seed to the sower, bread for the hunger  
So shall the word of the Lord be with a sound like thunder  
And it will not return, it will not return void  
We shall be led in peace  
And go out with joy  
And the hills before us  
Will raise their voices  
And the trees of the field will clap their hands as the land rejoices  
And instead of the thorn now  
The cypress towers  
And instead of the briar the myrtle blooms with a thousand flowers  
And it will make a name  
Make a name for our God  
A sign everlasting that will never be cut off  
As the earth brings forth sprouts from the seed  
What is sown in the garden grows into a mighty tree  
So the Lord plants justice, justice and praise  
To rise before the nations till the end of days

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