O God of Every Nation

William Watkins Reid, Jr., 1958
D. Evans, 1865

1. O God of every nation, Of every race and land, Re-deem 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 Christ shall rule victorious O'er all the world's domain.

2. From search for wealth and power And scorn of truth and right, From fear of rattling sabre, From dread of war's increase; When hope and courage falter, Your still small voice be heard; With faith that none can alter, Your eternal God, we pray.

3. Lord, strengthen those who labor That all may find release From hatred and division Give way to love and peace, Till dawns the morning Each red-and division, Give way to love and peace, Till dawns the morning.

4. Keep bright in us the vision Of days when war shall cease, When trust in bombs that shower Destruction through the night, From pride of race and station And blindness to your way, Deliver every nation, E-vide us And bitter threats are hurled, In love and mercy guide us And Christ shall rule victorious O'er all the world's domain.

Courtesy of the Cyber Hymnal™