

# THIS IS MY FATHERS WORLD

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## LYRICS

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*"For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against ... men, who suppress the truth in unrighteousness, 19 because what may be known of God is manifest in them, for God has shown it to them. 20 For **since the creation of the world His invisible attributes are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made**, even His eternal power and Godhead, so that they are without excuse, 21 because, although they knew God, they did not glorify Him as God, nor were thankful, but became futile in their thoughts, and their foolish hearts were darkened."*  
- Romans 1: 18-21

### VERSE 1

This is my Father's world:           And to my listening ears  
All nature sings, and round me rings  
The music of the spheres.

    This is my Father's world:  
    I rest me in the thought  
    Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas--  
    His hand the wonders wrought.

### VERSE 2

This is my Father's world:           The birds their carols raise,  
The morning light, the lily white,  
Declare their Maker's praise.

    This is my Father's world:  
    He shines in all that's fair;  
    In the rustling grass I hear Him pass,  
    He speaks to me everywhere.

### VERSE 3

This is my Father's world:           O let me ne'er forget  
That though the wrong seems oft so strong,  
God is the Ruler yet.

    This is my Father's world:  
    Why should my heart be sad?  
    The Lord is King: let the heavens ring!  
    God reigns; let earth be glad!