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## A THANKSGIVING HYAN.

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For the gladness of the sunshine,
For the dropping of the rain,
For the springtide's bloom of promise,
For the autumn's go'den grain,
For the beauty of the forest,
For the fulness of the field,
For the orchard's rosy fruitage,
For the vineyard's lucious yield,
We thank Thee, O Lord!

For the nobler, richer beauty,
For the light that spirits know,
For the sacredness of duty,
Guiding us through life below;
For our earthly ties so precious,
For the friends warm and bright,
For the faith that through the darkness,
Leads us to immortal light.
We thank Thee, O Lord!

For the drought that parened and withered,
For the blast that bared the bough,
For the clouds concealing blessing,
That we may not measure how;
For our gladness and our sorrow,
For our poverty and wealth,
For our getting and our losing,
For our sickness and our health,
We thank Thee, O Lord!

For the losses and the crosses,
Coming sore against our will,
From Thy hand each good gift cometh,
And, not less, the seeming ill.
What Thou givest in Thy wisdom,
That alone to us is blest;
And of all Thy countless givings,
For Thy boundless love, the best,
We thank Thee, O Lord!