Light Dawns on a Weary World

Sw: Strings 8'
Gt: Warm Foundations 8'
Ch: Clarinet 8’, trem.
Ped: Lieblich Gedeckt 16’, 8'

Introduction: Organ
Andante

Temple of Peace
setting, Michael Burkhardt

for Tom and Doris Granum

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Stanza 1: Solo, Choir SA, or assembly women

Unis.

Sw.

Refrain: Assembly

Promised day of justice comes. The trees shall clap their hands; the dry lands,
Hope blooms in a weary world when those forlorn find wilderness reborn. Creatures, once forlorn, find wilderness reborn.
Hope blooms in a weary world when creatures, once forlorn, find
wilderness born.
Hope blooms in a weary world: the promised day of Eden comes. The trees shall clap their hands; the dry lands,
gush with springs; the hills and mountains shall break forth with singing! We shall go
out in joy; and be led forth in peace, as all the world in wonder echoes shalom.

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Stanza 1: Solo, Choir, or Assembly women
Stanza 2: Choir or Assembly men
Stanza 3: All

1 Light dawns on a weary world when eyes begin to see all people’s dignity. Light dawns on a weary world: the promised day of justice comes.
2 Love grows in a weary world when hungry hearts find bread and children’s dreams are fed. Love grows in a weary world: the promised feast of plenty comes.
3 Hope blooms in a weary world when creatures, once forlorn, find wilderness reborn. Hope blooms in a weary world: the promised green of Eden comes.

Refrain: All

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the hills and mountains shall break forth with singing!

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