

You Call Yourself My Father

Infinite God,
You come to me
 from far beyond and
 high above my knowing.
You freely show Yourself to me through this world
 of which I am a part.
The wisdom, the power,
the beauty, the mystery,
the pattern, the endless parade of individuality,
the love, the connectedness of all this varied life,
the engulfing shower of light,
the vastness, the intimacy,
the eternity, the now-ness –
 they all speak and sing of You.
I begin to glimpse You and
 wonder at You
 through my sense and experience.

Infinite God,
personal God,
You come to me
 in skin and fragile flesh and bone.
You come just like me.
You call Yourself my Father.
Holy God,
Loving God,
God of peace and joy and unbridled giving,
 You say that I came from You, and
 You call me back to You.
You only ask that I come as a child,
 as Your child,
 honest and trusting.

Infinite God,
personal God,
Father God,
 I come.
Make us one again!

Hymn: [My Loving Father](#)