

*The World with its Countries*

The world with its countries,  
Mountains and seas,  
People and creatures,  
Flowers and trees,  
The fish in the waters,  
The birds in the air  
Are calling to ask us  
All to take care.

These are our treasures,  
A gift from above,  
We should say thank you  
With a care that shows love  
For the blue of the ocean,  
The clearness of air,  
The wonder of forests  
And the valleys so fair.

The song of the skylark,  
The warmth of the sun,  
The rushing of clear streams  
And new life begun  
Are gifts we should cherish,  
So join in the call  
To strive to preserve them  
For the future of all.

*John Cotton*