

As Long As the Earth Endures

Genesis 9:8-17; Psalm 25:1-10; 1 Peter 3:18-22
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As long as the earth endures, seed-time and harvest, cold and heat,
Be fruitful and multiply! Love and respect your place of birth!
"The Lord is a God of war!" So said the people Moses led,

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sum - mer and win - ter, day and night; we know that the Lord as - sures
Care for the things that share this place! Be - ware, lest the Lord ask, "Why,
saved through the sea so long a - go! But we stand up - on this shore:

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bles - sings of sea - sons, food to eat, so
why did you waste the fruits of earth, the
Up in the clouds we see, in - stead, a

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long as God's child - ren use it right.
rar - est a - mong the things of space?"
sym - bol of peace: God's might - y bow!