

“EVERY PERFECT GIFT”

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Thankful and grateful, we gather and belong.
Asking: “What’s the best gift you’ve received?”
Rememb’ring in delight – Voices raised in song --
God’s abundant generosity -- because we have believed.

[CHORUS:]

EVERY PERFECT GIFT comes from God above.
EVERY PERFECT GIFT carries a measure of God’s Love.
We remember Jesus’ sacrifice in each Eucharist we lift:
Knowing we’ve been given EVERY PERFECT GIFT.

Broken, yet hopeful, we become new again --
Present to each moment that we live.
Appreciating life – All we’ve been given.
Knowing our blessings aren’t ours alone, we ask: “What can I give?”

(CHORUS)

Baptized into kinship, we’ve been blessed with wings to fly
Like a caterpillar transformed into a butterfly
Souls breaking free to discover, inspire and share
Giving and believing God answers ev’ry prayer.

(CHORUS)

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