

# Circle of Life: A Hymn for the Earth

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(♩ = c. 63)

Unison

Cir - cle of life, we know you as the  
 Cir - cle of life, we greet you on our  
 Cir - cle of life, we count you as a  
 Cir - cle of life, we of - ten do ig -  
 Cir - cle of life, we bless you in our

earth, In whirl - ing through the cos - mos, play - ing  
 way, As guests and dwell - ers graz - ing your do -  
 gift, Drawn from God's love, en - trust - ed to our  
 nore you; We, in myr - iad ways, take much for  
 liv - ing, Mind - ful of gifts, earth - ly and div -

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host: \_\_\_\_\_ To all things liv - ing, \_\_\_\_\_  
 main; \_\_\_\_\_ In cy - cles of cre -  
 care. \_\_\_\_\_ To - geth - er, we must \_\_\_\_\_  
 grant - ed: \_\_\_\_\_ Our bless - ings pres - ent, \_\_\_\_\_  
 ine; \_\_\_\_\_ As our lives' rhyth - ms \_\_\_\_\_

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crea - tures giv - ing birth; \_\_\_\_\_ We share this teem - ing  
 a - tion and de - cay, \_\_\_\_\_ We do en - joy rich  
 all strive to up - lift; \_\_\_\_\_ And, to keep life's e - ven  
 grac - es old and new; \_\_\_\_\_ Now, let us stop, give  
 of - ten need for - giv - ing, May we still find a

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plan - et - of plen - ty, can we boast.  
 bless - ings, with hopes - they will re - main.  
 bal - ance, we must a - gree to share.  
 pause, and well nur - ture good seeds plant - ed.  
 beau - ty - in your life and in

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