



# Nature – Oh My!

An Original Poem by Sister Colleen M. Fentress

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**Scripture for Mediation**

LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory in the heavens. <sup>2</sup>Through the praise of children and infants you have established a stronghold against your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger. When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, which you have set in place, <sup>4</sup>what is mankind that you are mindful of them, human beings that you care for them?"

**Psalms 8:1-4**

**30 Day Gratitude Journal:**

Write about a song that you are most thankful for.

**30 Day Gratitude Challenge:**

Send a thank you card to someone you appreciate.

**Prayer Concentration:**

Pray for the secular leaders in your community.

**Prayer of Gratitude**

Lord, we thank You for the majesty of nature. When we consider the magnificence of all that you have created, we join the song writer and say, "how great Thou art! How great Thou art! Thank You for all the blessings we receive through nature. In Jesus name we pray, Amen.

**Observation**

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Awakening in the morning, to the chirps of birds,  
Busily,--- Joyfully,--- starting their day.

Seeing the beautifully shaped clouds, whether sunny skies or  
gray.

Watching golden, rust-colored, yellow and red leaves as they  
gently fall,

To the ground so gracefully,  
I can *almost* hear nature call-

"Why do you rush so much? Our Master controls it all!  
He has guided every footstep, As you've so often recalled."

Then as the day ends, and you look to the sky.  
You see the pinks, the blues, the golds and the lavenders,  
And say in awe,----- "Oh my!"

**Questions to Ponder**

1. How are you inspired by nature? How are you through nature able to experience the presence and people of God?

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