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"The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace . . . ."  
*Galatians 5: 22*



## ECHOES OF GOD'S PRESENCE

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Ever near  
In each time and in each space,  
Ever far  
From oblivion's disgrace,  
Echoes:  
There is a---  
Presence.

Ev'ry fear  
In our hearts and souls and minds,  
Ev'ry star  
From hope's disenchantment finds,  
Echoes:  
There is---  
a Presence.

Very moved  
In our secret silent sense,  
Very quelled  
From pain's pacified pretense,  
Echoes:  
There---  
is a Presence.

Never proved  
In each search and in each gain,  
Ne'r dispelled  
From reason's resounding reign,  
Echoes:

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There is a Presence.