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Must be lived out from day to day.  
Vision held open in the dark  
By our ten thousand days of work.  
Harvest will fill the barn; for that  
The hand must ache,  
the face must sweat.



And yet no leaf or grain is filled  
By work of ours; the field is tilled  
And left to grace.

That we may reap,  
Great work is done  
while we're asleep.



When we work well,  
a Sabbath mood  
Rests on our day  
and finds it good.



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