

This Indescribable Gift

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from 2 Corinthians 9

Tune: Bay Farm*

mm=93

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in treble clef, key of D major (indicated by two sharps), and common time (C). The tempo is marked as mm=93. The score consists of nine staves of music, each with a key signature of two sharps and a common time signature. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words underlined. Chord symbols are placed above the staff at various points. The score includes a repeat sign at the beginning of the first staff, a double bar line at the end of the first staff, and a double bar line at the end of the ninth staff. The lyrics are as follows:

God scat-ters a-broad, gives free-ly with all, God's
 right-eous - ness lives— for - e - ver. In care for the poor, in
 har vests of hope, God's right-eous - ness lives— for - e - ver.
 1. We are sow - ing as dis - ci - ples,
 2. God gives seed— to the sow - er,
 3. Through grace we've bles - sings in a - bun - dance,
 know-ing that as we sow, we shall reap As we give free-ly, we re-
 bread to all those who are hun - gry for food Sup-plies and mul - ti - plies the
 through gift of grace our— spir— its lift Thanks be to God who free - ly
 ceive— God's gift of grace; ours to keep!
 gift, in - creas - es har - vests of good!
 of- fers— this in - de - scrib - a - ble gift!
 God e - ver. God's right - eous - ness lives— for -
 e - ver.

*It is my custom to name my hymn tunes after camps and towns where Canadians of Japanese descent were interned during the Second World War. In this way I hope to ensure that these places and injustices will not be forgotten.