

poets on GOD's Footstool ¹

Poets try to place the best words in the best order, so much so that meanings are better understood and more deeply remembered. The Psalms are Songs of Prophecy, of praise and of worship. Large parts of the Book of Isaiah are poetic. The most Ancient Song for teaching men is found in the Books of Moses.² Sometimes I put words to simple rhyme, and add a few more verses of my own here ...

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in due season : writing verse
subjects : what is 'very good'
style : simple, often terse

verbosity persuasive?
not with simpler folks
use gift for simple simile
not strewn with clever jokes

consider attention spans
of children who you know
...order...edit...purify...
then set your verse aglow

make relevance an issue
don't do this just for fun
TEACHER ³ does encourage
make sweeter waters run...

citizen's of GOD's Kingdom
all callings deep and true
MESSIAH's words of scribes' treasury ⁴
applies to poets too

GOD helps us grow good roots
deep roots call unto deep
don't concede to worldly dross
keep your verses sweet

make relevance an issue
don't do this just for fun
TEACHER does encourage
make sweeter waters run...

convert and strengthen faith
thru poems for doing good
GOD helps you to illumine
then sees they're understood

acclaim from other brethren?
never seek such wordly fame!
we are but unworthy servants ⁵
humbly honour HIS HOLY Name

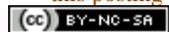
don't claim words for TEACHER
that TEACHER did not say
but do put into flowing verse
insights HE sends your way

make relevance an issue
don't do this just for fun
TEACHER does encourage
make sweeter waters run...

a migrant labourer

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¹ see Isaiah 66:1-2 and Matt 5:34-36

² see Deuteronomy 32:1-47

³ the word TEACHER here refers to The HOLY SPIRIT; see also John 16:12-14

⁴ see Matt 13:51-52

⁵ see Luke 17:7-10