

Thought for the day – Tuesday 30th August 2022

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Garth Hewitt God's revolution of love

I like Garth's songs, I shall have to find this one.

We're trying to live by God's revolution –

God's revolution of love

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By doing to others what we would want –

What we would want done to ourselves –

By loving our neighbours – loving our enemies

God's revolution of love

The rich and the poor will share with each other

In God's revolution of love

We'll tear down the walls that keep us apart

In God's revolution of love

By beating our swords into ploughshares

That build community life

We'll stop making arms – that maim and destroy

In God's revolution of love.

Jesus is with us – Jesus the worker

In God's revolution of love

Jesus the human – the teacher will lead us

In God's revolution of love

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Garth wrote this song after going to church in Mozambique, a Salvation Army church made of reeds.

He remembered previous visits including to a Cathedral where there was a sculpture made of weapons.

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Where do we fit in to God's revolution of love?