

## Look

If you could look beyond the stars through the endless void of space  
Some think you'd see the face of God, the author of our race  
Some think you'd see the Pearly Gates, Heaven's entry door  
Some think you'd just see nothing to stretch for ever more  
Who am I to say which thought could then be proven out  
When all life is miraculous and learning fosters doubt?  
But why not turn such thinking completely on its head  
And instead of looking skyward, look inwardly instead?  
Look at motivation, inspiration and belief  
Look at courage and the kindness that offers much relief  
To those so much less fortunate, victims or deprived,  
Those whose every thought is just the fight to stay alive  
Look at art in song or paint or words that move your soul  
At the elation of supporters whose team just scored a goal  
At the wonders of a summer's dawn or a glowing sunset sky  
At the power of a mighty storm and the stillness of its eye  
See the complex beauty in a single blade of grass  
Appreciate all that my friend and you'll be wise at last  
It matters not who God is or where His kingdom's found  
The truth is that we live it, its wonders all around  
God is what's inside us and makes us want to be  
Somehow better, more deserving of all the good we see  
This earth, this Eden's ours for life and better or for worse  
Heaven is our legacy, hell is mankind's curse  
When baser thoughts and selfish greed are given scope to play  
And the good stand by in silence then evil has its day  
Don't let it pass you by, this world's an open book  
And all it really takes of us is make the time to look.