



A Litany of Thanksgiving For UTO Ingatherings

- LEADER:** When we are free of fear and worry,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When our children return home safely,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When a new baby is born in our family,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When we receive your gifts of food, clothing and shelter,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When we see your creative hand in the beauty of nature,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When our loved ones return to you,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When the sick and suffering are healed,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When the right solution comes to some serious problem,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When we find the peace of God in pain and sorrow,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When we find through faith that death is a gateway into eternal life with Christ,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER:** When we have enjoyed good fellowship and friends,
PEOPLE: **O God, accept our offering.**
- LEADER AND PEOPLE:** *O God, we ask that we may ever be united in our response to your love, thankful for our many blessings and happy to give our offerings; that by your Holy Spirit all nations and peoples may know the power of the love of Jesus Christ. Amen.*

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