Lean on the Sustaining Infinite

1. Lean on the sustaining infinite And blessings will be yours.
2. Let the healing reign of Truth and Life, The reign of Love divine;
3. Love with a heart of tenderness Your enemies and friends;

Lean not on person, place, or thing, Or economic laws;
Be now established within me To show Soul’s clear design
How ever hard this may appear, This quality just mends.

But lean upon all blessing God Who will all needs supply
Of One-ness, indivisible— Of God and me as one—
For Love is God in action true, A presence that is felt;

And give to all abundant good That money cannot buy.
As water is to ocean wave, As sunbeam is to sun.
A healing and a saving power That will all discord melt.

4. So lean, and let, and love; This is the balanced Way.

It’s free from self will, pressure, stress; It welcomes in God’s day.

The leaning is so gentle; The letting is so free.

And loving is the only way To think, and speak, and be.

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