

God's good earth?

A poem written by the children in Badgers' class.

God is a talented artist whose greatest creation is our wonderful world,

It has:

Brilliant, azure skies, watching over us while dreaming clouds drift across the heavens,

Luscious, green grass swaying freely far below,

Glimmering, sapphire oceans, beaming in the sun where rainbow coral dances along the smooth sandy floor,

Tropical, enchanted rainforests with exotic, emerald trees towering over the ecosystem below where wonderful wildlife crawls, slithers and prowls.

Dry, vast, scorching deserts with never ending, golden sands reaching out to the corners of the Earth,

The Earth is filled with His glory,

The perfect place for us all to live.

But then we forgot....

We built factories and vehicles that pump out toxic fumes

We put plastic in the oceans that the animals consume,

We let the ice caps melt - will the polar bears survive?

We are destroying habitats so the wildlife cannot thrive,

We have littered the landscape that makes the animals suffer,

Suddenly, living on our planet's getting tougher,

Petrol pumping

Fires burning

Ice caps melting

Creatures dying

Atmosphere thinning

World shrinking

STOP!

We still have time; it's not too late,
We need to save this incredible world we were given

What can we do?

It's up to YOU!

Turn off the lights when you're not in sight

Don't use the car if it's not that far

Plant more trees, if you please

Reuse or the animals will lose

Litter stops NOW – you do know how

Flip that switch and the world will be rich

If everyone helps we can make a big change,

If everyone helps we can save the world together,

God gave us the gift of our wonderful Earth

We must treasure it and protect it for all eternity.