

Sacred Chant & Dance at AFM 2025 11 30 Song Sheet

1. **Moving Gently** Moving gently, gathered as One,
(different lyrics) under the Moon and the Stars and the Sun

2. We are born of the Stars and the Earth
The Universe sings at our birth
In the heart's smallest spaces
The Universe faces itself
In wonder and awe!

3. **Earth is our Mother** Native American

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| 1. Earth is our Mother | | 2. When we care for Mother Earth | |
| We must take care of her (3x) | | She will take care of us (3x) | |
| Her sacred ground we walk upon | | Her sacred ground we walk upon | |
| With every step we take (3x) | | With every step we take (3x) | |
| Hey nah nah, ho nana, hey nah nah! (4x) | | Hey nana, ho nana, hey nah nah! (4x) | |

4. **May There Always Be Sunshine** - Thanks to Lo Hamm

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| May there always be sunshine | pooh | seeh | dah | boo | de-et | sone | set |
| May there always be blue skies | " | " | " | " | " | neya | vah |
| May there always be Momma | " | " | " | " | " | Mama | |
| May there always be me | " | " | " | " | | du | ya |

5. **Ashes & Smoke** We have been burned, burned by the fire,
And we are ashes, ashes and smoke,
But we will rise, higher and higher
On the wings of compassion, justice and hope!

6. **Compassionate Eyes**

May my hands do the work I was sent here to do,
May my ears know the truth from the lies,
May my voice speak for justice, may I walk unafraid
May I see through compassionate eyes.

7. **Wade in the Water**

Wade in the water
Wade in the water, children
Wade in the water
God's gonna trouble the water!