

GLISTENING TRUTH

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I closed my eyes and bowed my head.
"LORD, fill my life with riches," I said.
Countless diamonds in the morning dew
Sparkling and twinkling each anew
My excitement I could not contain
More jewels than I could ever dream

I reached down to pick up one
It disappeared right on my thumb
God said, "Child don't you know?
These are just part of my glorious show
Imagine if these diamonds filled the sea
It would not compare to my love for thee."

I closed my eyes and bowed my head
"Thank you, LORD, for your love," I said.
For Father, diamonds could not compare
To your love, grace and mercy so rare
Forgive me for not asking for more of you
For you are the only treasure tried and true.

"I designed each clear and free
So you will know my love for thee
Not to spend, just for show
Every morning when you come to me
These I will give only to thee"