God Save You, Merry Gentlefolk

The melody of this carol is shared with the traditional English carol, "God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen".

Composed and lyricized Anonymously, 15th c. English

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3. The creatures of our forests green,
of fields and mountains tall,
and creatures of the deepest sea,
of lakes and rivers call
upon our courage righteous set
for to redeem us all!

Chorus

4. Give not an ear to wicked word
from those in Evil's sway,
who take your faith in God's own Good
and say you've lost your way,
that they may speed the end of days
for falsely God they play!

Chorus

5. Let's stand together tall and strong
and make our voices heard!
Now confident of right and wrong
we pledge to keep our word;
our stewardship of God's precious Earth
to honor and to serve!

Chorus