THIS IS MY SONG
(Jan Sibelius - 1899 / Wds Lloyd Stone - 1934)
Finlandia

Choir:
This is my song, O God of all the nations,
A song of peace for lands afar and mine.
This is my home, the country where my heart is,
Here are my hopes, my dreams, my holy shrine.
But other hearts in other lands are beating,
With hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.

Soloist:
My country's skies are bluer than the ocean,
And sunlight beams on clover leaf and pine.
But other lands have sunlight too, and clover,
And skies are everywhere as blue as mine.
O hear my song, O God of all the nations,
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Ps. 82:8

Lloyd Stone, 1934

1 This is my song, O God of all the nations.
2 My country's skies are bluer than the ocean.

Peace for lands afar and mine. This is my home, the
country where my heart is; here are my hopes, my
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These stanzas, published during the period between the two
world wars, express a hope for lasting peace among all nations,
races, and cultures. Finlandia is derived from a "tone poem" of
the same name by Finnish composer Jean Sibelius.

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Jean Sibelius, 1899
Arr. for The Hymnal, 1933