

the Green Creed

God,

You made this world with a Bang, a million stars for each grain of sand.

You gave this Earth an Eve with so many stars above that each soul since might claim a unique galaxy.

You came to this Earth in the form of man, your Son, to guide us. At

His birth a bright star shone and at His death on a cross for our sins, we were there for the kill.

We grieve for this. Yet we feel your Holy Spirit with us: gently when we pray, the Lord himself as we suffer and die.

By word and deed, we promise that:

We shall neither kill, steal, lust, hold greed, tell lies or be quick to judge, nor smear Your Name.

We shall confess our sins, honor our parents, and as best we can:

love and care for all; and with them, and past and present saints, we oft shall commune
with You and while doing so, have our trespasses forgiven as we forgive those who trespass against us.

We shall recycle our wastes, not foul this Earth nor

wipe out the least of its wild plants or beasts; we shall treat the Earth each day as if it is our Heaven.

We shall read the Gospels as truth, the Good Book for eternal truths, and each week hold a day holy.

We pray that You will give us the tools so that the next child, and

the next of the next, will live on this Earth and other worlds to come. We accept that our ultimate
purpose and responsibility is found in the question, "How the coming generation shall continue to live?" and

When it is our time, we pray that You shall judge our souls worthy to sing with the Lord's in infinite Space and Time.

Touch our hearts oh God!