

## Canadian National Anthem - Versions

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### Official Version

O Canada!  
Our home and native land!  
True patriot love in all thy sons command.  
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,  
The True North strong and free!  
From far and wide, O Canada,  
We stand on guard for thee.  
God keep our land glorious and free!  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee,  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

### Richardson version

O Canada! Our fathers' land of old  
Thy brow is crown'd with leaves of red and gold.  
Beneath the shade of the Holy Cross  
Thy children own their birth  
No stains thy glorious annals gloss  
Since valour shield thy hearth.  
Almighty God! On thee we call  
Defend our rights, forfend this nation's thrall,  
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### McCulloch version

O Canada! in praise of thee we sing;  
From echoing hills our anthems proudly ring.  
With fertile plains and mountains grand  
With lakes and rivers clear,  
Eternal beauty, thou dost stand  
Throughout the changing year.  
Lord God of Hosts! We now implore  
Bless our dear land this day and evermore,  
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### Buchan version

O Canada, our heritage, our love  
Thy worth we praise all other lands above.  
From sea to sea throughout their length  
From Pole to borderland,  
At Britain's side, whate'er betide  
Unflinchingly we'll stand  
With hearts we sing, "God save the King",  
Guide then one Empire wide, do we implore,  
And prosper Canada from shore to shore.

### Weir version

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True patriot love in all thy sons command.  
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The True North strong and free!  
And stand on guard, O Canada  
We stand on guard for thee.  
O Canada, glorious and free,  
We stand on guard,  
we stand on guard for thee.  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee!