

## Creating God

*As soon as you try to write something inclusive someone is always going to be left out. This was an attempt to try and include as many different people within a church community while keeping it simple so the children could read it.*

*There's a spin off activity here in expanding the third verse to try and include all the different kinds of relationships between people, step relationships, civil partnerships, fostering/adopting relationships but also to recognise that there may be relationships we wish we had but can't have or we may wish to celebrate being single and the role of wider family and/or the friendships we value.*

Creating God,  
You make the sun and the moon,  
You make the day and the night,  
You make the land and the sea,  
You make the plants and the animals.

Creating God,  
You make boys and girls  
You make us young and old  
You make us black and white  
You make us gay and straight.

Creating God,  
You make us parents and carers,  
You make us brothers and sisters,  
You make us sons and daughters,  
You make us aunts and uncles.

**Thank you that you have created us to belong to the earth**  
**Thank you that you have created us to belong to each other.**  
**Thank you that you have created us to belong to you.**

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