

# Fruits of One Tree

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Music and Words  
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**CHORUS**

Ye are all the fruits of one tree. Ye are all the waves of one sea. The day has come when all men must live as one. Ye are all the flowers of one gar-den and the waves of one sea, and the leaves of one tree. 1. In eigh-teen four - ty - four in the ci - ty of Shi - raz, a new and won-drous mes-sage was sent down from God. A young Per-sian Man by the name of The Bab pro - claimed that the Prom-ised One of all Ages was due to come.

2. The teachings of the Bab spread from man to man,  
Across the whole of Persia and throughout the land.  
Jealous men of power arose on every hand,  
And killed the blessed Bab and more than twenty-  
thousand of His followers.

3. But then in 1863 a Babi of much fame,  
In the Garden of Ridvan, near Baghdad, did proclaim,  
That He was the Promised One foretold by the Bab,  
And henceforth He was known as Baha'u'llah, the  
Glory of God.

4. Baha'u'llah was banished again and again,  
By jealous leaders of religion and of government.  
And yet there came forth boundless wisdom from His  
mighty pen,  
And words of guidance for an ailing world, and the  
teachings of men.

5. His followers throughout the land are known as Baha'is,  
And for the Blessed Beauty they freely gave their lives.  
The teachings of Baha'u'llah were spread throughout the  
world,  
And now His Word is known, and the standard of His  
Cause unfurled.

The verses are sung with a free interpretation of the melody to fit the words. They do fit, with a little practice. ~Elaine Losey

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