

## **ELW 516: Almighty God, Your Word is Cast**

1. Almighty God, your word is cast like seed into the ground;  
now let the dew of heav'n descend on righteous fruits abound.
2. Let not the sly satanic foe this holy seed remove,  
but give it root in ev'ry heart to bring forth fruits of love.
3. Let not the word's deceitful cares the rising plant destroy,  
but let it yield a hundredfold the fruits of peace and joy.
4. So when the precious seed is sown, life giving grace bestow,  
that all whose souls the truth receive its saving pow'r may know.