

Book of Time

The day is come and so I strive to read as best I may
A page upon the book of time opened here this day.
A book wherein is written the names of the girls
Who will serve you for a time;
Who will love the Rainbow one and all
Throughout their lives, without a fault.
So in the Rainbow book of time untold;
They sign their name with the pen of gold.

The Worthy Advisor signs, and as she writes
A vision comes from out the night;
A presence near the book of time watches as she writes her name,
And says to her in sweet accord,
“Do all who sign here love the Lord?”
For only those who do, I’m told
May sign this book with the pen of gold.

The pen of gold is taken now by the Worthy Associate Advisor,
Who makes a vow to ably assist in every line,
As she writes her name in the Book of Time.

Charity signs, her pledge she makes
To give her service for the sake
Of avoiding those searching for the pot of gold,
At the end of the Rainbow, we are told.

The pen of gold is taken now by Hope,
Who makes a vow to be with the girls in times of doubt,
Whether sunlight or darkness is about.
Hope always awaits you, we are told
She signs with the pen of gold.

But the waiting presence softly said to them,
“You must always have faith in God and man.”
So Faith clasps now the golden pen.
She represents girlhood, when all is bright,
And the Holy Bible, Symbol of white light.

The Recorder and Treasurer advance in manner kind,
To inscribe their names in the Book of Time.
To make their pledge to guard the funds of all,
For theirs is the task that character tests,
But they agree to do their best.

“God, let me be aware; let me not stumble down the ways
Please keep me eager, just to do my share.
God, let me be aware.”
The chaplain writes this prayer to revive;
So in Christ shall all be made alive.

The Drill Leader advances and falters,
For the presence is again before the Altar,
And asks, “What wilt Thou write?”
‘Tis this, I’ll lead the way and guide those who
Come there to take their vows so true,
Encourage them and show the way,
To serve the Lord in all their days.

*** (Read each color part when that station starts to walk up to sign the Book of Time.) ***

The Rainbow rays before you stand,
And Love now takes the pen in hand.

Religion follows closely by.

And Nature shows how time does fly.

Immortality symbolizes eternal life.

Fidelity with the color of royal blue.

Indigo teaches Patriotism in peace or strife.

And Service last, of violet hue
Has healing power I entrust to you
Until your Rainbow dreams come true.

The Observers of the Rainbow Treasures
Whose duties are beyond all measure
Await the presence who whispers now,
“Take pen in hand and sign your vow.
All high ideals we keep for you,
Until your Rainbow dreams come true.”

These Rainbow Girls will be installed this day,
Having signed this book in the Rainbow way.
Their promise is made until time does end;
In this book of time with the golden pen.