BE 1. verb [been, being]. Present indicative: am, art, is; are; past: was, wast, were. 1. To have existence, truth, or actuality; live; often with there; as, God is, there are bears in the zoo. 2. To exist (in a special state, relation, etc.); coincide in identity with; equal; as, I am that man’s brother, he is a rich man; also, to belong, as, money is not to him. 3. To take place; happen; as, the party is next week, can such things be? 4. To concern; signify; as, the book is $2. 5. To have of; as, the book is $2. 6. To occupy (a certain place); as, the picture is on page ten. 9. To stay; remain; as, the party at the picture is on page ten.

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Being

I am a cicada sitting high in the tree,
As alive today as I will ever be,
I’m shaking my tymbal and making my song,
Enjoying my time though it be not long.

I am a bee pollinating a flower,
Harvesting from anthers hour after hour,
Gathering pollen for the stigma over there,
Then home to the hive – floating on air.

I am a vulture soaring up on high,
Looking for food from a clear blue sky,
My nose is searching for flesh to recycle,
Flying up here with Archangel Michael.

I am a tadpole swimming in the pond,
Brought to this Earth by the fairy’s wand,
I sit on the bottom and bask in the sun,
This being-alive stuff is really great fun.

I am a tree with strong roots interconnected,
Talking to my neighbors - not disconnected,
Breathing CO2 and blowing out O2,
My being is good for both me and you.

I’m a white shrimp maturing in the marsh,
Hiding from predators that can be very harsh,
Preparing to move with the phase of the moon,
I love being here, but my time here ends soon.
I’m a parrot-head human who loves Jimmy Buffet,
Acting all crazy like a television Muppet,
But I have an important point to make,
This being-alive stuff makes my world shake.

“Being is what all life has in common,
It’s a key understanding” I was told by the Brahmin,
“It’s more than just knowing about one’s own life,
Things are linked in the now and the afterlife.”

Being is magical - it’s a shared characteristic,
It’s a key to the puzzle of thinking holistic,
It’s the common thread that binds the Earth,
Life’s revolving door of death and rebirth.

So welcome to Earth Church
Pull yourself up a pew
Say a prayer that being
Will awaken in you.