

# Oh, Had I a Golden Thread

Music and words: Pete Seeger, arr Peter Amidon

## *Verse 1 (all parts)*

Had I a golden thread, and needle so fine,  
I'd weave a magic strand of rainbow design,  
Of rainbow design.

## *Verse 2 (sops + altos)*

In it I'd weave the bravery of women giving birth,  
I'd weave the innocence of children of this earth,  
Children of this earth.

## *Verse 3 (sops + basses humming)*

Far o'er the waters, I'd stretch my rainbow band  
To ev'ry human being, so they would understand,  
So they would understand.

## *Verse 4 (sops + other parts humming)*

Tell my brothers and my sisters of my rainbow design,  
Bind up this worry world with heart and hand and mind,  
Heart and hand and mind.

## *Verse 5 (all parts)*

Far o'er the waters, I'd stretch my rainbow band  
To every city and through every land,  
Through every land.