

Terraces by Night – Laylah bahá'í

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Enthroned on the holy
mountain, crowned
with gold, girded with
emeralds, the Queen of
Carmel has opened her
Court to all people tonight.

Joyous echoes of
hope in their ears
resound from the
Mountain of the Lord:

in the industrious
scattered vineyards
of towns and cities,
faithful husbandmen
work in a quiet, steady,
and peaceful effort

to distill delicious wines
from simple local grapes
and by that dispel bitterness
of discord, silliness
of ignorance, and embers
of conflicts and wars

from minds and hearts
through sweetness
of unity, savoriness
of justice, and freshness
of an abiding peace.