

*Dharma Words
for
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*Great Mountain,
the One Mind devoted to
just the plum blossom,
let one dot of blossom break open
and its fragrance fills all worlds.*

*light and subtle,
perfect, complete,
dependent on nothing for its wholeness,
it is revealed as our own life.*

*In accord with wisdom and ignorance,
view and circumstances,
we make peace and we make trouble.*

*In accord with situations,
we come to know our life fully
and make use of it.*

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*Our deepest gratitude
for pointing toward this great freedom
already our own.*

*Inexpressible gratitude
Endless bows
In all movement---bowing
In each movement---bowing
 *bowing,
 bowing,
 bowing**