



LET US CHEER THE WEARY TRAVELER

SPIRITUAL

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A Negro Spiritual in the form of a short unaccompanied motet for mixed voices.

Melody from *Religious Folk Songs of the Negro*
as sung at Hampton Institute Edited by R. N. D.

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Moderato molto maestoso

più marcato *f*

SOPRANO
Let us cheer the wear-y trav-el-er, — Cheer the weary trav-el-er; Let us

ALTO
Let us cheer the wear-y trav-el-er, — Cheer the weary trav-el-er; Let us

TENOR
Let us cheer the wear-y trav-el-er, — Cheer the weary trav-el-er; Let us

BASS
Let us cheer the wear-y trav-el-er, — Cheer the weary trav-el-er; Let us

PIANO
f *Acc. only for rehearsal* *più marcato*

Moderato molto maestoso

sf sempre forte senza rit.

cheer the wear-y trav-el-er A - long the heav-en - ly way.

sf sempre forte senza rit.

cheer the wear-y trav-el-er A - long the heav'n - ly way.

sf sempre forte senza rit.

cheer the wear-y trav-el-er A - long the heav'n - ly way.

sf sempre forte senza rit.

cheer the wear-y trav-el-er A - long the - heav-en - ly way.

sf sempre forte senza rit.

mf Let us cheer the wear - y

mf The wear - y trav - el - er, A -

mf The wear - y trav - el - er, A -

mf

This system contains four staves. The top three staves are vocal parts. The first staff starts with the lyrics 'Let us cheer the wear - y'. The second and third staves continue with 'The wear - y trav - el - er, A -'. The fourth staff is a piano accompaniment, starting with a piano dynamic marking '*mf*'.

trav - el - er, > Cheer the wear - y

long the heav'n - ly way, The wear - y trav - el - er A -

long the heav'n - ly way, The wear - y trav - el - er A -

Let us cheer the wear - y

This system contains four staves. The top three staves are vocal parts. The first staff continues with 'trav - el - er,' followed by a long horizontal line indicating a phrase, and then 'Cheer the wear - y'. The second and third staves continue with 'long the heav'n - ly way, The wear - y trav - el - er A -'. The fourth staff is a piano accompaniment. The lyrics 'Let us cheer the wear - y' are positioned below the piano accompaniment staff.

trav - el - er; Let us cheer the wear - y
 long - the heav'n - ly way, - Cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A -
 long the heav'n - ly way; - Let us cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A -
 trav - el - er A - long the heav'n - ly way; Cheer the wear - y trav - el -

marcato
 trav - el - er A - long the heav - en - ly way.
marcato
 long the heav'n - ly way, - A - long - the - heav'n - ly way.
marcato
 long the - heav'n - ly way, A - long - the - heav - en - ly way.
marcato
 er A - long the heav'n - ly way, A - long the heav'n - ly way.

un poco recitando e semplice

Solo (ad lib)

cresc.

I'll take my gos-pel trum-pet, And I'll be-gin_ to blow, And

Solo (ad lib) un poco recitando e semplice

cresc.

I'll take my trum-pet, And I'll be - gin to blow, And

Solo (ad lib) un poco recitando e semplice

I'll take my trum - pet, And I will blow, And

Solo (ad lib) un poco recitando e semplice

My trum - pet, And I will blow, And

if my Sav-iour helps me I'll blow where ev-er I go. *sf* *subito Tutti*

più marc. e cresc. *sf* *subito Tutti*

if my Sav-iour, If my Sav-iour helps me I will blow where ev-er I go. *sf* *subito Tutti*

if my Sav-iour helps me I'll blow where e'er I go. *più marc. e cresc.* *sf* *subito Tutti*

if my Sav-iour, If my Sav-iour helps me I will blow where e'er I go.

Tutti

sf

f

Let us cheer the wear-y trav-el-er, — Cheer the wear-y trav-el-er, Let us

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sf sempre forte senza rit.

cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav - en - ly way.

sf sempre forte senza rit.

cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav'n - ly way.

sf sempre forte senza rit.

cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav'n - ly way.

sf senza forte senza rit.

cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav - en - ly way.

Solo (ad lib) più espres. mf *cresc.*

And if you meet with cross - es, And tri - als on the way, Just

Solo (ad lib) più espres. mf *cresc.*

And if with cross - es, And tri - als on the way, Just

Solo (ad lib) più espres. mf *cresc.*

And if with cross - es, Trials on the way, Just

Solo (ad lib) più espres. mf *cresc.*

With cross - es, Trials on the way, Just

sf *subito Tutti*

keep your trust in Je - sus, And don't for - get to pray.

più marcato *sf* *subito Tutti*

keep your trust, Just keep your trust in Je - sus, And don't for - get to pray.

sf *subito Tutti*

keep your trust in Je - sus, And don't for - get to pray.

più marcato *sf* *subito Tutti*

keep your trust, Just keep your trust in Je - sus, And don't for - get to pray.

Molto fervente poco meno mosso

Let us cheer the wear - y trav - el - er, _____

Molto fervente poco meno mosso

The wear-y trav-el-er, A - long the heav'n-ly way,

Molto fervente poco meno mosso

The wear-y trav-el-er, A - long the heav'n-ly way,

Molto fervente poco meno mosso

Let us

Molto fervente poco meno mosso

Cheer the wear - y trav - el - er; Let us

The wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav'n-ly way,

The wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav'n-ly way; Let us

cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav'n-ly

cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A -

Cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav'n - ly way, — A

cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long — the — heav'n - ly way, A -

way; Cheer the wear - y trav - el - er A - long the heav'n - ly way, A -

più accel. *più*

long the heav-en - ly way; A - long the heav-en - ly way; A -

più accel. *più*

long — the — heav'n - ly way; A - long the heav'n - ly way; A -

più accel. *più*

long — the — heav - en - ly way; A - long the heav'n - ly way; A -

più accel. *più*

long the heav'n - ly way; A - long the — heav-en - ly — way; A -

marcato, quasi stretto *rit. molto dim.*

long *marcato, quasi stretto* *rit. molto dim.*

long *marcato, quasi stretto* *rit. molto dim.*

long *marcato, quasi stretto* *rit. molto dim.*

marcato, quasi stretto *rit.*

rit. molto allargando e cresc. *f*

the heav - en - ly way.

rit. molto allargando e cresc. *f*

the heav - en - ly, the heav - en - ly way.

rit. molto allargando e cresc. *f*

the heav - en - ly, the heav - en - ly way.

rit. molto allargando e cresc. *f*

the heav'n - - - ly way.

rit. molto allargando e cresc. *f*