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We Are the Voices

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Gently $\text{♩} = 64$
p

SA unison

In ev'-ry heart there is a place, a place that shows us

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Pedal chordally throughout

4 who we are; in ev'-ry heart there is a place that

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S1

fi-nal-ly I can see. In ev'-ry heart there is a place,

fi-nal-ly I can see. In ev'-ry heart there is a place

fi-nal-ly I can see. In ev'-ry heart there is a place

fi-nal-ly I can see. In ev'-ry heart there is a place

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a place that shows us who we are; in ev'-ry heart

a place that shows us who we are; in ev'-ry heart

a place that shows us who we are; in ev'-ry heart

a place that shows us who we are; in ev'-ry heart

II

14

there is a place that fi-nal-ly I can see. If I
there is a place that fi-nal-ly I can see. If I
there is a place that fi-nal-ly I can see. If I
there is a place that fi-nal-ly I can see. If I

14

hear my heart I will know it's true, if I lis - ten when it
hear my heart I will know it's true, if I lis - ten when it
hear my heart I will know it's true, if I lis - ten when it
hear my heart I will know it's true, if I lis - ten when it

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17

rit.

20 Gently $\text{♩} = 64$

calls. In ev'-ry heart there is a place that

calls. In ev'-ry heart there is a place that

calls. In ev'-ry heart there is a place that

calls. In ev'-ry heart there is a place that

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23 $m\acute{f}$ accel.

fi - nal - ly I can see. Look a - round do you

fi - nal - ly I can see. and you will see it, $m\acute{f}$

fi - nal - ly I can see. and you will see it, $m\acute{f}$

fi - nal - ly I can see. Look a - round do you

23 $acc.$

26

rit. cresc.

see the time has come for you to
cresc.

that you will find it the time has come for you to
cresc.

that you will find it look a-round
cresc.

see look a-round

rit.

28

f

see. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard

f

see. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard

f

see. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard

f

see. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard

Djmb.

mf

31

sim.
find - ing a voice that will free us.
sim.
find - ing a voice that will free us.
sim.
find - ing a voice that will free us.
sim.
find - ing a voice that will free us.

Djmb. sim.

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We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we
We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we
We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we
We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we

Djmb. sim.

35

fi - nal - ly see who
fi - nal - ly see who
fi - nal - ly see

35

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37 broadly

we are, on - ly what we
we are, on - ly what we
p we are,
we are, we are, on - ly what we

p

37

we are, on - ly what we

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feel, what we feel.

feel, what we feel.

feel, what we feel.

feel, what we feel.

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Soprano:

Alto:

Tenor:

Bass:

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$\text{♩} = 94$

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There is on - ly one way we can be, and that is

There is on - ly one way we can be, and that is

There is on - ly one way we can be, and that is

There is on - ly one way we can be, and that is

$\text{♩} = 94$

42

Soprano:

Alto:

Tenor:

Bass:

$\text{♩} = 94$

f

g^{ab}

f

44

stand - ing up for who we are in
stand - ing up for who we are in
stand - ing up for who we are in
stand - ing up for who we are in

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Djmb. sim.

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Descant *f*

And when we stand we stand up
And when we stand we feel alive
side. We stand, we stand up tall so we can feel the
side. We stand, we stand up tall so we can feel the
side. We stand, we stand up tall so we can feel the

46

8va

Djmb. sim.

tall of who we see who we are in -
 we feel a way to see who we are in
 u - ni - ty of who we are in -
 u - ni - ty of who we are in -
 u - ni - ty of who we are in -
 48 u - ni - ty of who we are in -

Djemb. sim.

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side. We feel a -
 and when we stand we feel a - live
 side. We stand, we stand up tall so we can feel the
 side. We stand, we stand up tall so we can feel the
 side. We stand, we stand up tall so we can feel the
 50

Djemb. sim.

52

live and who we are

we feel a way to see who we are in

u - ni - ty of who we are in

u - ni - ty of who we are in

u - ni - ty of who we are in

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Djmb. sim.

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I know who I am I'm

There is on - ly

There is on - ly one way we can be and that is

There is on - ly one way we can be and that is

There is on - ly one way we can be and that is

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Djmb. sim.

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breath - ing a - lone

one way to stand for who we

stand - ing up for who we are in

stand - ing up for who we are in

stand - ing up for who we are in

Djemb. sim.

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I know who I am I am breath - ing fi - re

I know who I am I'm

I know who I am I'm

I know who I am I'm

subito p

60

I am breath - ing who I am in - side I'm breath-ing
breath - ing the fire
breath - ing the fire
breath - ing the fire

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I, I am I'm breath - ing the
I know who I am I'm breath - ing the
I know who I am I'm breath - ing the
I, I'm breath - ing the

65 rit.

A tempo

fi - re of my _____ soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my
fi - re of my _____ soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my
fi - re of my _____ soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my
fi - re of my _____ soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my

65 rit.

A tempo

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soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my
soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my
soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my
soul, I ___ can feel ___ the fire ___ in my

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Djmb. sim.

69 *cresc. poco a poco*

soul, I can feel the fire in my
soul, I can feel the fire in my
soul, I can feel the fire in my
soul, I can feel the fire in my

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Dimb. sim.

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The musical score consists of six staves of music. The top four staves are soprano voices in G clef, with key signatures changing from B-flat major (two flats) to E major (no sharps or flats). The bottom two staves are basses in F clef, with a key signature of B-flat major. The vocal parts sing the lyrics "soul, I can feel the fire in my soul, I can feel the fire in my soul, I can feel the fire in my soul, I can feel the fire in my". The bass parts provide harmonic support with sustained notes and rhythmic patterns.

soul, I can feel the fire in my
 soul, I can feel the fire in my
 soul, I can feel the fire in my
 soul, I can feel the fire in my

70

Djmb. sim.

71

soul, I can feel — the fire. Look a-round do you

soul, I can feel — the fire. and you will see it,

soul and you will see it,

71 soul, I can feel — the fire. Look a-round do you

f

subito p

p

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sec the time has come for you to

cresc. poco a poco

that you will find it the time has come for you to

cresc. poco a poco

that you will find it look a-round

cresc. poco a poco

sec look a-round

73 rit.

cresc. poco a poco

A tempo

75 sec. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard
 sec. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard
 sec. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard
 sec. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard
 sec. We are the voi - ces and we will be heard

A tempo

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78 sim. find - ing a voice that will free us.
 sim. find - ing a voice that will free us.
 sim. find - ing a voice that will free us.
 sim. find - ing a voice that will free us.

Djmb. sim.

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80

We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we

We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we

We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we

We are the voi - ces and we will be heard as we

80

Djmb. sim.

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fi - nal - ly see.

Now

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we are now the voi - ces we are
 we are now the voi - ces we are
 we are now the voi - ces we are
 we are now the voi - ces we are

86

88 *cresc. - accel. poco a poco*

heard now from our

cresc. - accel. poco a poco

heard now from our

cresc. - accel. poco a poco

We are voi - ces find - ing out that we have what we need right in our

cresc. - accel. poco a poco

We are voi - ces find - ing out that we have what we need right in our

88 — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 —

cresc. - accel. poco a poco

— 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 —

cresc. - accel. poco a poco

— 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 — — 3 —

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broadly

3 We are heard.

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