



Let's Zing Ensemble!

'A Walk In Nature'
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Bozar

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Swing $\text{J} = 85$

Soprano *mf*
 Alto
 Tenor *mf*
 Bass

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Bloss - om - ing and climb - ing the trees _____ Try-ing to re - gain all the pow - er _____ na - ture has been giv - ing for free _____
mp o _____ ah _____ o _____ ah _____
 Bloss - om - ing and climb - ing the trees _____ Try-ing to re - gain all the pow - er _____ na - ture has been giv - ing for free _____
mp o _____ ah _____ o _____ ah _____

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star - ing at the moon and the flow - ers _____ They're Bloss - om - ing and climb - ing the trees _____ Bloss - om _____
 o _____ ah _____ o _____ ah _____ Bloss - om _____
 star - ing at the moon and the flow - ers _____ They're Bloss - om - ing and climb - ing the trees _____ Bloss - om _____
 o _____ ah _____ o _____ ah _____ Bloss - om _____

A Add snaps on the 3rd beat

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Bloss - om - blossom - om - blossom - om -
Bloss - om - blossom - om - blossom - om -
Bloss - om - blossom - om - blossom - om -
Bloss - om - blossom - om - blossom - om -

25 *mf*

Doo - doo - doo - doo -
I'll be a - way - down by the riv - er -
Doo - doo - doo - doo -
Doo - doo - doo - doo -
Doo - doo - doo - doo -

(*alternative for divisi is dividing S and A in three equal groups: soprano, mezzo, alto)

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Doo - doo - doo - doo -
I'll be a - way - down by the riv - er -
Doo - doo - doo - doo -
Doo - doo - doo - doo -
Doo - doo - doo - doo -

33

p

tutti

Bloss - - - om _____

37

mp

Bloss - - - om _____

B (no snaps)

p

hm _____ ooh _____ ooh _____

p

hm _____ ooh _____ ooh _____

p

hm _____ ooh _____

p

hm _____ ooh _____ ooh _____

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hm _____ ooh _____ ooh _____

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C

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____ I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____ I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

Sing 3 times**Add snaps (or claps or foot stomps) on the 3rd beat**

*divisi**

66 *f*

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

Dah _____ dah _____ dah _____ dah _____

*f***

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

Dah _____ dah _____ dah _____ dah _____

(*A1: don't sing small note first time)

(**T: sing 2nd & 3rd time only)

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(no snaps)

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

dah _____ dah _____ dah _____ dah _____

f

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

I'll be a-way _____ down by the riv-er _____

dah _____ dah _____ dah _____ dah _____

(*T: if too high, sing small note instead)

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Notes from the composer

'A Walk In Nature' is an ode to the nature. Sing it that way, it's a Gospel!

Not everyone has to sing all the time, feel free to experiment with: for example the alto solo parts can be sung by one person or the whole alto section. "Hm" means humming. The D part can be repeated more than 2 times. I wrote snaps but feel free to clap or stomp with your feet if you feel like it. Most important is to really feel this rhythm where the 3rd beat is 'harder'.

The soprano part from bar 46 to 60 can be octaviated if too high. Same count for bar 73 to 77.

ENJOY!

LYRICS:

ENG

Trying to regain all the power,
Nature has been given for free.
Staring at the moon and the flowers,
Blossoming and climbing the trees.
I'll be away, down by the river.

NL

Probeer alle macht terug te winnen,
De natuur werd ons geschenken
Starend naar de maan en de bloemen
bloeiend en klimmend in de bomen
Ik zal weg zijn, bij de rivier

FR

Essayant de récupérer tout le pouvoir,
La nature a été donnée
Regardant la lune et les fleurs
qui fleurissent et grimpent aux arbres
Je serai absent, au bord de la rivière

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