

Our Voice

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SSA and piano

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Our Voice

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Energetic and pulsing ♩ = 104

SOPRANO 1
SOPRANO 2

ALTO

Energetic and pulsing ♩ = 104

PIANO

mf

4

unis. mf

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

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8

oh - ay - oh

mf

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

12

unis.

S.A. oh - ay - oh

16

Our voice is the mur - mur of the earth,

20

past — root and rock, — past — root and

4

24

rock, be - neath, be - neath stopped clocks of

27

am - mon - ites, stripes. of ore,

31

S. 1/S. 2 stripes of ore. *f* oh Can you

A. stripes of ore. *f* Lis - ten, can you hear it roar?

35

hear _____ it, hear it roar, _____ *unis.* hear _____ it, _____

Lis - ten can you hear it roar? Lis - ten, can you hear _____ it _____

39

hear it roar, _____ hear it roar? _____

roar, _____ hear it roar? _____

43

mf

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

mf

6

47

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh oh

mf

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

51

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

55

Our voice is the frond_ of a

Our voice is the

59

fern, a fern un - furl - ing, un -
frond of a fern, a fern un - furl - ing, un -

63

- furl - ing, carv - ing its own space with - in the
- furl - ing, carv - ing its own

67

world, with - in the world, with -
space with - in the world, with - in the world, with -

8

71

-in the world. _____ *f* oh _____ Can you

-in the world. _____ *f* Can you feel it reach out spore by spore,

75

feel _____ it, can you feel _____ it, *unis.* feel _____ it _____

feel it reach out spore by spore, reach _____ out _____ spore _____ by _____

79

reach _____ out _____ spore by spore? _____

spore, _____ spore by spore? _____

83 *mf*

Our voice is a bird on a

mf

Our voice is a

mf

con Ped.

87

branch, a bird on a roof - top, a

voice is a bird on a roof - top, a

91 *unis.*

roof - top, greet - ing the morn - ing, —

roof - - top, greet - ing the

10

95

light, the morn - ing light, morn - ing
morn - ing, morn - ing light, morn - ing

99

light. Does your heart leap to its call,
light. Does your heart leap to its call,

103

heart leap to its call, your heart leap to its
heart leap to its call, your heart leap to its

107

call, _____ to its call? _____

call, _____ to its call? _____

senza pedale

111

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

115

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh oh

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

12

119

oh - ay - oh

oh - ay - oh oh - ay - oh

123

Our song is a mur - mur -

Our song is a

127

-a - tion in full surge, - where ma - ny

mur - mur - a - tion in full surge, -

131

move_ as one, shap - ing_ air in - to a
 where ma - ny move_ as one, shap - ing_

135

mul - ti - tude, a mul - ti - tude of forms, - a mul - ti -
 air in - to a mul - ti - tude, a mul - ti - tude of forms, -

139

-tude of forms. oh_ Won't you
 forms, of forms. Won't you join us as we soar?

14

143

join _____ us as we soar, _____ as _____ we _____

Won't you join us as we soar? Won't you join us as _____ we, _____

147

S. 1
soar, _____ as _____ we _____ soar? Won't _____ you _____

S. 2
soar, _____ as _____ we _____ soar? oh _____ Won't you

A.
as _____ we _____ soar? Won't you join us as we soar?

151

join us as we soar, you

join us as we soar, you

Won't you join us as we soar? Won't you join us

154

join us as we soar, as we *ff*

join us as we soar, as we *ff*

as we soar, as we *ff*

16

157

soar, _____ as we soar, _____

soar, _____ as we soar, _____

soar, _____ as we soar, _____

ff

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_____ as we soar, _____ as we soar? _____

_____ as we soar, _____ as we soar? _____

_____ as we soar, _____ as we soar? _____

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