

Hebrew Slave Chorus

Extracted from "Miriam's Story" by Martin Emslie

Lyrics and Music
Martin Emslie

♩=100 Dejectedly

SA
Choir
TB

f Work, Work, quar - ry stone, make bricks and

Piano

9

SA
Choir
TB

carve bone. Work, work, move the stone, build pyr - a -

18

SA
Choir
TB

mids. Work, Work, strive and toil. plant the

We're work-ing ev' ry day in the qua-rry car-ving the stone in-to blocks From dawn to dusk we

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SA
Choir
TB

crops and till the soil, Work, work,

grow reap and thresh and sow in the fields all the crops. Be-neath the sear-ing sun, we must car-ry

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SA
Choir
TB

plant the seed, harv - est crops and kill the weed.

on or we're lashed twen-ty times. They threat-en us with death ev-'ry sin-gle step that we take from our lines.

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SA
Choir
TB

Work, work, strive and toil plant the

We're work-ing ev'ry day in the quar ry car ving the stone in-to blocks 7 From dawn to dusk we

Aah

40

SA *Aah*

Choir

TB crops and till the soil, Work, work,
 grow, reap and thresh and sow in the fields all the crops. 7 Be-neath the sear-ing sun, we must car ry

45

SA *Aah*

Choir

TB plant the seed, harv - est
 on or we're lashed twen - ty times. 7 They threat - en us with

48

SA

Choir

TB crops and kill the weed.
 death ev - 'ry sin - gle step that we take from our lines.