



Island Mantra

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A short SATB a cappella piece

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2'40"

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for SATB Voices *a cappella*

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♩=64 With a sense of wistfulness

Soprano *mp*
Some-how I find my-self at the edg - es, joined to the world by a lit-tle bridge.

Alto *mp*
Joined to the world by a lit-tle bridge.

4 *p* **A**
S. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.____

p
A. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.____

p *mp*
T. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.____ Ev'-ry mor-ning I go to this bridge, to hear

p *mp*
B. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.____ Ev'-ry mor-ning I go to this bridge, to hear

8 *mp*
S. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.

mp
A. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.

mf *mp*
T. tale from the oth-er side. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.

mf *mp*
B. tale from the oth-er side. I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.

B Warmly

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S. *mf* When lov-ers meet in its mid-dle to share a kiss__

A. *mf* lov-ers meet in its mid-dle to share a kiss__

T. *mf* When lov-ers meet in its mid-dle to share a kiss__ or bend a knee.

B. *mf* When lov-ers meet in its mid-dle to share a kiss__ *mp* I

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S. *mp* I will ser-en-ade__ them. *mf* I won't be an is-land__ *mp* I won't be an is-land__

A. *mp* I will ser-en-ade__ them. *mf* I won't be an is-land,__ *mp* I won't be an is-land__

T. *mp* I will ser-en-ade__ them. *mf* I won't be an is-land,__ *mp* I won't be an is-land__ *mf* When the shouts

B. *mf* will ser-en-ade__ them. *mp* I won't be an is-land,__ *mf* I won't be an is-land__ *mf* When the shouts

C Colder

18

S. *mf* When the quar-rel starts, I'll seek to un-der-stand. *mp* I won't be an is-land,__ *p* I won't be an

A. *mf* When the quar-rel starts, I'll seek to un-der stand. *mp* I won't be an is-land,__ *p* I won't be an

T. *mp* __ be-gin__ seek to un-der stand. *p* I won't be an is-land,__ I won't be an

B. *mp* __ be-gin__ seek to un-der stand. *p* I won't be an is-land,__ I won't be an

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S. *pp*
is - land... When the barr-i - cades arr - ive

A. *pp*
is - land... When the barr-i-cades ar-rive

T. *pp*
is - land... When the barr-i-cades arr - ive

B. *pp*
is - land... When the barr-i-cades arr-ive

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S. *p* *mp* *mf*
I will try to rea-son I won't be an I... I won't be an is - land.

A. *p* *mp* *mf*
I will try to rea-son I won't be an I - I won't be an is - land.

T. *p* *mp* *mf*
I will try to rea-son I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.

B. *p* *mp* *mf*
I will try to rea-son I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land.

30 E Darkly

S. *mp* *mf* *mp* *mf*
When the ri - ver ris - es and sweeps the bridge a - way I'll

A. *mp* *mf* *mp* *mf*
When the ri - ver ris - es and sweeps the bridge a - way I'll

T. *p* *mf*
Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo I'll

B. *p* *mf*
Doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo I'll

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S. *f* *subito mp* *3*
 launch a boat in - to the wat - er. I'll launch a boat in - to the

A. *f* *subito mp* *3*
 launch a boat in - to the wat - er. I'll launch a boat in - to the

T. *f* *subito mp* *3*
 launch a boat in - to the wat - er. I'll launch a boat in - to the

B. *f* *subito mp* *3*
 launch a boat in - to the wat - er. I'll launch a boat in - to the

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S. *p* *F* *p* *mp*
 dark, dark wat-er I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land. Ooh

A. *p* *p* *mp*
 dark, dark wat-er I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land. Ooh

T. *p* *p* *mp*
 dark, dark wat-er I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land. Ooh

B. *p* *p* *mp*
 dark, dark wat-er No I won't be an is - land, I won't be an is - land. Ooh

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S. *p* *pp*
 Ooh

A. *p* *pp*
 Ooh

T. *p* *pp*
 Ooh

B. *p* *pp*
 Ooh