

Bridge over Troubled Water

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So What!?



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The musical score is for the song "Bridge Over Troubled Water" and is arranged for a seven-part vocal ensemble. The score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of two sharps (D major). The tempo is marked as quarter note = 84. The parts are:

- Susan:** Treble clef, vocal line with lyrics "hm" and "hm" under the first and second measures.
- Anna:** Treble clef, vocal line with rests in all measures.
- Ann:** Treble clef, vocal line with lyrics "hm" and "hm" under the first and second measures.
- Hasse:** Treble clef, vocal line with lyrics "hm" and "hm" under the first and second measures.
- S Dr.:** Percussion part with rests in all measures.
- Svante:** Bass clef, vocal line with lyrics "hm" and "hm" under the first and second measures.
- Stefan:** Bass clef, vocal line with lyrics "When you're wea - ry, fee - lin' small, when tears are" under the first and second measures.

The lyrics for the first two measures are: "When you're wea - ry, fee - lin' small, when tears are".

Bridge over troubled water

2

6

SB hm hm hm

AW

AP hm hm hm hm

HS hm hm hm hm I'm on your side

Sd

SS hm hm

SW

in your eyes I will dry them all,

11

SB uh can't be found

AW ah uh can't be found

AP ah uh can't be found

HS oh, when times get rough, and friends just can't be found

Sd

SS ah uh can't be found

SW uh can't be found

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3
16

SB
uh I will lay me down, uh

AW
uh I will lay me down, uh

AP
uh I will lay me down, uh

HS
16
8 like a bridge o - ver troub - led wa - ter I will lay me down,

Sd

SS
16 snap

SW
uh I will lay me down, uh
uh duh

21

SB
uh uh uh uh uh uh uh

AW

AP
uh uh uh When your down and out, uh uh

HS
21
8 mm mm uh uh

Sd

SS
21

SW
duh duh duh duh duh duh

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4
4
25

SB
uh uh _____ uh uh _____ uh when eve - ning _____

AW
when your on the street, _____ oh, yeah _____ when eve - ning _____

AP
uh _____ uh _____ uh _____ when eve - ning _____

HS
uh _____ uh _____ uh _____ when eve - ning _____

Sd

SS
uh _____ uh _____ uh _____ uh _____

SW
duh duh _____ duh duh _____ duh duh _____

28

SB
falls so hard I _____ duh whu uh whu

AW
falls so hard I _____ duh whu uh whu

AP
falls so hard I _____ duh whu uh whu

HS
falls so hard I will com - fort you, woah woah houw

Sd

SS
uh uh _____ uh _____ duh whu uh whu

SW
duh duh duh duh du-du - duh duh dum duh du-du duh du-du duh uh whu-du - du -

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5
32

SB
oh, I'll take your part, _____ uh when dark-ness

AW
oh, I'll take your part, _____ uh when dark-ness

AP
oh, I'll take your part, _____ uh when dark-ness

HS
oh, I'll take your part, _____ uh when dark-ness

Sd
32

SS
32

SW
I'll take ³ your part, _____ oh, _____ when dark-ness comes, _____
dm dm dm dm dm du-du-du-du - du-du-du du - dm dm dm du-dm du-

36

SB
comes, is all a - round, _____ uh _____

AW
comes, is all a - round, _____ uh _____

AP
comes, is all a - round, _____ uh _____

HS
36
comes, and pain is all a - round, _____ uh _____

Sd
36

SS
36

SW
is all a - round, _____ uh _____
dm dm duh duh duh like a bridge o - ver troub-led wa-ter

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6
41

SB
AW
AP
HS
Sd
SS
SW

like a bridge o - ver uh

I will lay me oh, like a bridge o - ver uh

I will lay me oh, like a bridge o - ver troub - led wa - ter

oh, like a bridge o - ver uh

uh

I will lay me down, du du du du dm bm b dm bm b dm bm b

45

SB
AW
AP
HS
Sd
SS
SW

I will lay me down ah ah uh

I will lay me down *swell*

I will lay me hahh hahh hahh hahh hahh hahh uh uh

I will lay me hahh hahh hah hahh hahh hah uh uh

hahh hahh hah hahh hahh hahh uh uh

dm bm dm

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7
49

SB
AW
AP
HS
Sd
SS
SW

Sail on, sil - ver-girl,
Sail on, sil - ver-girl,
ah uh uh ah Sail on, sil - ver-girl,
ah uh uh ah Sail on sil - ver-girl,
ah uh uh ah

dm bm dm ___ bm dm bm dm ___ bm dm bm dm ___ bm dm bm bm b dm bm bm

53

SB
AW
AP
HS
Sd
SS
SW

sail on by, your time has come to shine,
ah, sail on by, uh your time has come come to shine,
ah, sail on by, your time has come to shine,
sail-on by, uh your time has come to shine,

b tj k pf b tj k d k bch b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b b tj k b b tj k b b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b

dm bm bm ___ dm bm bm b dm bm bm dm bm bm dm bm dm dm ___ du - dm

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8
57

SB
all your dreams are on their way, See how they

AW
all your dreams are on their way, See how they

AP
all your dreams are on their way, See how they

HS
ah See how they
ah See how they

Sd
57
b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b

SS

SW
— bm dm — dm bm dm b-dm dm bm dm

60

SB
shine, see how they shine, oh, oh, if you need a friend,

AW
shine, see how they shine, oh, oh, if you need a

AP
shine, see how they shine, oh, oh, if you need a

HS
60
shine, oh, if you need a friend,

Sd
60
b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b b tj k pf b tj k d k pf

SS

SW
dm dm — bm d b dm bm b dm b dm bm dm d dm d

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63

SB
I'm sai - ling right be - hind, bridge o - ver

AW
friend, I'm sai - ling right be - hind, bridge o - ver

AP
friend, I'm sai - ling right be - hind, like a bridge o - ver

HS
63
I'm sai - ling right be - hind, bridge o - ver

Sd
63
b pf b pf d ³d d d ³d d bch b tj k d k pf b b tj k pf b tj k pf b tj k d k pf

SS

SW
dm dm bm bm bm bm dm dm d dm dm b dm bm dm bm

67

SB
troub - led wa - ter, I will ease your mah - aind, like a

AW
troub - led wa - ter, I will ease your mah - aind, like a

AP
troub - led wa - ter, I will ease your mah - aind, like a

HS
67
troub - led wa - ter, I will ease your mah - aind, like a

Sd
67
b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b b b pf b

SS

SW
dm bm b dm bm d b dm dm bm dm bm dm bm bm bm

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10
70

SB
bridge o - ver troub - led wa - ter I will ease your mind,

AW
bridge o - ver troub - led wa - ter I will ease your

AP
bridge o - ver troub - led wa - ter I will ease your

HS
70
8
bridge o - ver troub - led wa - ter I will ease your

Sd
70
b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b b tj k pf bch tj k d k pf b

SS

SW
dm dm b d b dm bm b dm bm b dm dm dm bm bm bm

73

SB
whua wu-oh-ah - oh uh

AW
swell

AP
swell hahh hahh hah hahh hahh hahh uh uh

HS
73
8
swell hahh hahh hah hahh hahh hah uh uh

Sd
73
b tj k d b tj k d k pf b tj k d b tj k d k pf b b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b

SS

SW
dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

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11
76

SB
ah uh uh ah

AW

AP
ah³ uh I will com - fort you
I'm gon-na ease your mind, yes, I am, uh ah oh,

76
HS
ah uh ah

76
Sd
b tj k pf bch tj k d k pf b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b tj k pf bch tj k d k pf

SS

SW
dm dm dm dm dm dm

Detailed description: This system contains the first 11 measures of the piece. It features six vocal parts (SB, AW, AP, HS, SS, SW) and a percussion part (Sd). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The vocal parts have various lyrics and vocalizations. The percussion part consists of a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. The bass line is a simple harmonic accompaniment.

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79

SB
uh uh ease your mind hm

AW

AP
uh uh ah hm
ease your mind, uh ah hm

79
HS
uh uh ah hm

79
Sd
b tj k pf b tj k d k pf b tj k pf bch

SS
ease your mind.³

SW
dm dm dm dm hm

Detailed description: This system contains measures 79-82. It features the same six vocal parts and percussion part as the first system. The lyrics continue, with 'ease your mind' being a key phrase. The vocal parts have various vocalizations and lyrics. The percussion part continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The bass line is a simple harmonic accompaniment.