

Little David

Negro Spiritual, arr. Alan Cutts

Light-footed, but not too fast (♩ = c. 108)

p leggiero

Sop. 1

Sop. 2

Alto

Oo, oo, oo,

La la la la la la la la la la la la la la

(= luh)

8

p leggiero

Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le - lu, hal - le - lu, Lit-tle Da-vid,

Oo oo

14

play on your harp, Hal - le - lu. Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le -

oo oo

20

lu, hal - le - lu, Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le - lu.

oo

26

Poco sostenuto, marcato (♩ = c. 96)

Da - vid was a shep-herd boy, He slew Go - lia' and shout-ed for joy;

Da - vid was a shep-herd boy, He slew Go - lia' and shout-ed for joy;

Da - vid was a shep-herd boy, He slew Go - li-a' and shout-ed for joy;

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Da - vid was a shep-herd boy, He slew Go - lia' and

Da - vid was a shep-herd boy, He slew Go - lia' and

Oh yes, shep-herd boy, He slew, yes he slew Go - li-a' and

(ritornando al tempo primo - - -)

40

molto dim.

p

shout-ed for joy, shout-ed for joy, joy.

shout-ed for joy, oh joy, oh Oo

shout-ed for joy, oh joy, oh Oo

molto dim. *p leggiero* *p leggiero*

Detailed description: This block contains the musical score for measures 40 through 45. It features three staves: a vocal line and two piano accompaniment staves. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The tempo marking is '(ritornando al tempo primo - - -)'. The first staff has lyrics 'shout-ed for joy, shout-ed for joy, joy.' The second and third staves have lyrics 'shout-ed for joy, oh joy, oh Oo' and 'shout-ed for joy, oh joy, oh Oo' respectively. Performance markings include 'molto dim.' and 'p' (piano) at the beginning, and 'p leggiero' (piano, light) for the final measure.

46

leggiero

Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le - lu, hal - le - lu, Lit-tle Da-vid,

oo

oo

leggiero

Detailed description: This block contains the musical score for measures 46 through 51. It features three staves: a vocal line and two piano accompaniment staves. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The tempo marking is '*leggiero*'. The first staff has lyrics 'Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le - lu, hal - le - lu, Lit-tle Da-vid,'. The second and third staves have 'oo' written below them. The tempo marking '*leggiero*' is repeated at the end of the block.

52

play on your harp, Hal - le - lu. Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le -

oo

oo

oo

Detailed description: This block contains the musical score for measures 52 through 57. It features three staves: a vocal line and two piano accompaniment staves. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The first staff has lyrics 'play on your harp, Hal - le - lu. Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le -'. The second and third staves have 'oo' written below them.

58

lu, hal - le - lu, Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le - lu.

Poco sostenuto, marcato

64

Jo - shua was the son of Nun, He ne - ver quit till his
 Jo - shua was the son of Nun, He ne - ver quit till his
 Jo - shua was the son of Nun, He ne - ver, ne - ver quit un-til his

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work was done; Jo - shua was the son of Nun,
 work was done, till his work was done, Jo - shua was the son of Nun,
 work was done, till his work was done, son of, son of, son of, son of,

(ritornando al tempo primo)

75

molto dim.

He ne - ver quit till his work was done, oh

He ne - ver quit till his work was done, oh

oh the son of Nun ne-ver quit, oh he ne-ver quit till his work was done, oh

molto dim.

80

one, two or three voices: *mf leggiero*

Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le -

p

done, work was done, done.

p leggiero

done, oh oo oo oo oo

p leggiero

done, oh oo oo oo oo

86

lu, hal - le - lu, Lit-tle Da - vid, play on your harp, Hal - le - lu.

leggiero, parlato

Play a -

oo oo oo oo oo

oo oo oo oo oo

Lit-tle Da-vid, play on your harp, Hal - le - lu, hal - le - lu, Lit-tle Da-vid,
 way, play a-way, Da - vid, play a-way, play a-way,

oo oo oo oo oo

oo oo oo oo oo

play on your harp, Hal - le - lu. Lit-tle Da - vid,
 play on your harp, Lit - tle Da - vid. play a - way,

leggero, parlato

oo oo oo oo

oo oo oo oo

solo: *leggiero*

Ah ³ ³ ah ³
 play on your harp, Hal - le - lu, hal - le - lu, Lit - tle Da - vid,
 play a-way, Da - vid, play a-way, play a-way,
 oo oo oo oo
 oo oo oo oo

sempre più leggiero

³ ³ ah
 play on your harp, Hal - le - lu. Lit - tle Da - vid,
 play on your harp, Lit - tle Da - vid. play a - way,
 oo oo oo oo
 oo oo oo oo

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play on your harp, Hal - le - lu, hal - le - lu, Lit - tle Da - vid,

play a - way, Da - vid.

oo oo oo oo

oo oo oo oo

play on your harp, Hal - le - lu. Lit - tle Da - vid...

(very soft!)

oo oo oo oo

(very soft!)

oo oo oo oo