

Soon Ah Will Be Done

MIXED CHORUS

(For Mixed Voices)

Allegro (♩ = 104)
(Lightly)
pp

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SOPRANO
* Soon ah will be don' ** a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl',

ALTO
* Soon ah will be don' ** a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl',

TENOR
* Soon ah will be don' ** a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl',

BASS
* Soon ah will be don' ** a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl',

PIANO
(Only for rehearsal)
pp

trou - bles ob de worl', — de trou - bles ob de worl'.

trou - bles ob de worl', de trou - bles ob de worl'.

trou - bles ob de worl', de trou - bles ob de worl'.

trou - bles ob de worl', de trou - bles ob de worl'.

* Soon I
** a-ah

pp *pp*

Soon ah will be don'a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl', goin' home t' llve wid God.

pp *pp*

Soon ah will be don'a-wid de trou-bles ob 'de worl', goin' home t' llve wid God.

pp *pp*

Soon ah will be don'a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl', goin' home t' llve wid God.

pp

Soon ah will be don'a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl'.

pp *pp*

ff

I wan' t' meet my moth-er, I wan' t' meet my moth-er,

ff

I wan' t' meet my moth-er, I wan' t' meet my moth-er,

ff

I wan' t' meet my moth-er, I wan' t' meet my moth-er,

ff

I wan' t' meet my moth-er, I wan' t' meet my moth-er.

ff

I wan' t' meet my moth - er.

I wan' t' meet my moth - er.

I wan' t' meet my moth - er, I goin t' live wid God.

I wan' t' meet my moth - er, I goin t' live wid God.

pp sempre

Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou- bles ob de worl',

pp sempre

Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou- bles ob de worl',

pp sempre

Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou- bles ob de worl', de worl',

pp sempre

Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou- bles ob de worl', de worl',

pp sempre

trou-bles ob de worl', de trou-bles ob de worl'.

trou-bles ob de worl', de trou-bles ob de worl'.

trou-bles ob de worl', de trou-bles ob de worl', de worl' oh,

trou-bles ob de worl', de trou-bles ob de worl', de worl' oh,

pp Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl'.

pp Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl', Goin'

pp Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl', Goin'

pp Soon ah will be don' a-wid de trou-bles ob de worl', Goin'

No more weep - in' an' a wall - in',
 home t' live wid God No more, wall - in'
 home t' live wid God No more, wall - in'
 home t' live wid God No more, wall - in'

Musical notation includes treble and bass clefs, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and dynamic markings such as *ff* and *fz*. The piano accompaniment features chords and melodic lines in both hands.

No more weep - in' an' a wall - in', No more
 No more wall - in', No more
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And ending,

weep - in' an' a - wail - in; No more

weep - in' an' a - wail - in; I'm goin' t' live wid God. No more

weep - in' an' a - wail - in; I'm goin' t' live wid God. No more

weep - in' an' a - wail - in; I'm goin' t' live wid God. No more

weep - in' an' a wail - in' yes,

wail - in', Weep - in' an' a wail - in', wail - in',

wail - in', No more weep - in' an' a - wail - in',

weep - in' an' a - wail - in', weep - in' an' a - wail - in',

fz fz fz fz fz ffz

No more weep-in',— No more wall-in', No more wall-in',—
 weep - in',— No wall - in',— No more wall - in',—
 weep - in',— No wall - in',— No more wall - in',—
 weep - in',— No wall - in',— No more wall - in',—

pp Tempo primo

Soon ah will be don' a wid de troubles ob de worl',
pp Tempo primo
 Soon ah will be don' a wid de troubles ob de worl',
pp Tempo primo
 Soon ah will be don' a wid de troubles ob de worl', de worl',
lunga pp pp Tempo primo
 No more weep-in',— Soon ah will be don' a wid de troubles ob de worl', de worl',
f lunga pp pp Tempo primo

trou- bles ob de worl', de trou- bles ob de worl'.

trou- bles ob de worl', de trou- bles ob de worl'.

trou- bles ob de worl', de trou- bles ob de worl', de worl'. oh.

trou- bles ob de worl', de trou- bles ob de worl', de worl'. oh,

pp Soon ah will be don' a- wid de trou- bles ob de worl', Goin' *pp*

pp Soon ah will be don' a- wid de trou- bles ob de worl', Goin' *pp*

pp Soon ah will be don' a- wid de trou- bles ob de worl', Goin' *pp*

pp Soon ah will be don' a- wid de trou- bles ob de worl'. *pp*

(First time all sopranos sing 2nd Soprano part, on repeat divide.)

home t' live wid God. I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

home t' live wid God. I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

home t' live wid God. I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

I wan' t' meet my Je - sus, I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

I wan' t' meet my Je - sus, I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

I wan' t' meet my Je - sus, I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

I wan' t' meet my Je - sus, I wan' t' meet my Je - sus,

meet my Je - sus. In de morn-in' Lord!

meet my Je - sus.

meet my Je - sus, I'm goin' t' live wid God. God, I'm

meet my Je - sus, I'm goin' t' live wid God. God,

I'm goin' t' live wid God.

I'm goin' t' live wid God.

goin' t' live wid God, I'm goin' t' live wid God.

I'm goin' t' live wid God.