

Down in the River to Pray

Duration: ca. 2'45"

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Ranges

$\text{♩} = 63$

pp

Soprano

Alto 1

Alto 2

As I went down in the ri-ver to pray, Stu-dy-in' a-bout that good old way and

pp

3

S

A1

A2

who shall wear the star - ry crown? Good Lord, show me the way.

A

5

mp

S

A1

A2

Oh sis - ters let's go down, Let's go down, Come on down,

7

S

A1

A2

Come on sis - ters let's go down, Down in the ri - ver to pray.

Down in the ri - ver to pray.

Down in the ri - ver to pray.

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2

B

9

mf

S As I went down in the ri-ver to pray, Stu-dy-in' a-bout that good old_ way and

mp

A1 ooo_ ooo good old_ way_

mp

A2 ooo_ ooo and

12

S who shall wear the star - ry crown? Good Lord, show me the way.

A1 the star - ry crown? show me the way.

A2 who shall wear the star_ show me the way.

C

14

f

S Oh mo - thers let's go down,_ Let's go down, Come on down,_
Oh fa - thers let's go down,_ Let's go down, Come on down,_

f

A1 Oh mo - thers let's go down,_ Let's go down, Come on down,_
Oh fa - thers let's go down,_ Let's go down, Come on down,_

f

A2 Oh mo - thers let's go down,_ Let's go down, Come on down,_
Oh fa - thers let's go down,_ Let's go down, Come on down,

16

S Come on mo - thers let's go down,_ Down in the ri - ver to_ pray.
Come on fa - thers let's go down,_ Down in the ri - ver to_ pray.

A1 Come on mo - thers let's go down,_ Down in the ri - ver to_ pray.
Come on fa - thers let's go down,_ Down in the ri - ver to_ pray.

A2 Come on mo - thers let's go down,_ Down in the ri - ver to_ pray.
Come on fa - thers let's go down,_ Down in the ri - ver to_ pray.

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3

18 **D**

mp

S Down in the ri-ver Down in the ri-ver Down in the ri-ver Down in the

f

A1 As I went down in the ri-ver to pray, Stu-dy-in' a-bout that good old way and

mp

A2 Down in the ri-ver Down in the ri-ver Down in the ri-ver Down in the

21

S ri - ver, Went down in the ri - ver Lord, show me the way.

A1 who shall wear the star - ry crown? Good Lord, show me the way.

A2 ri - ver, Went down in the ri - ver Lord, show me the way.

23 **E**

ff

S Oh bro - thers let's go down, Come on down, Don't you wan-na go down,
Oh sin - ners let's go down, Come on down, Don't you wan na go down,

ff

A1 Oh bro - thers let's go down, Oh Don't you wan-na go down,
Oh sin - ners let's go down, Oh Don't you wan na go down,

ff

A2 Oh Come on down, Don't you wan-na go down,

25 **rit. 2nd time**

S Come on bro - thers let's go down, Down in the ri-ver to pray.
Come on sin - ners let's go down, Down in the ri-ver to pray.

A1 Oh bro - thers let's go down, Down in the ri-ver to pray.
Oh sin - ners let's go down, Down in the ri-ver to pray.

A2 Come on Down in the ri - ver to pray.