

DELIVER US

from THE PRINCE OF EGYPT

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Slowly, with reverence

N.C.
mp (distant trumpet)

Steady March tempo

E5
SLAVES:

Huh! Huh! Ah — Mu - d San - d Ah —

f *mf*

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OVERSEERS:

Wa - ter Straw Ah Mu - d and Lif - t

SLAVES: **OVERSEERS:** **SLAVES:**

San - d Ah Wa - ter and raise up Straw Fast - er! With the

sting of the whip _ on my shoul - der, with the salt of my sweat on my

E7/G# Am D Bm C/E

brow. El - o - him, God on high, _ can you hear your peo - ple cry? _ Help us

F Dm7/E E7 Am E/G# Am

now, this dark ho - ur. De - liv - er us, hear our call, de -

cresc. *p*

Dm F G E7 Am D(add2) E

liv - er us, Lord of all, re - mem - ber us, here in this burn - ing sand. De -

Am E/G# Am B Em D/G A Am Am/B B

liv - er us, there's a land You prom - ised us. De - liv - er us to the prom - ised

E5

land.

Em YOCHED: B/E F#dim/E

*Yal - di ha - tov, — veh' - ha - rach. Al ti -

Em E7/B Am D Bm C/E

ra, veh' - al tif - chat. My son, I have noth - ing I can give but this chance that you may

F D5/E E Am E/G# Am

live. I pray we'll meet a - gain, if He will de - liv - er us. —

SLAVES: De - liv - er us. — Hear our pray'r. De -

cresc.

* Translation (Hebrew):
My good and tender son, don't be frightened and don't be scared.

Dm F G E7 Am

liv - er us from de - spair. These years of slav - r'y grow too

D(add2) E Am E/G# Am B Em D/G A

cruel to stand. De - liv - er us, there's a land You prom - ised us. De -

Am Am/B B C#m7b5 Am7 Am/B B

liv - er us out of bond - age and de - liv - er us to the prom - ised

rit.

Moderately

C Ddim/C C Ddim/C C Ddim/C

land.

mp *sim.*

C Ddim/C C Ddim/C C

YOCHAVED:

Hush now, my ba - by, be still love, don't

Ddim/C C Ddim/C C

cry. Sleep as you're rocked by the stream.

A^b E^b B^bm7 C

Sleep and re - mem - ber my last lull - a - by, so

Ab/Gb G/F C Ddim/C

I'll be with you when you dream.

poco rit. *a tempo*

C Ddim/C C Ddim/C

cresc.

D Edim/D D Edim/D

Riv - er, oh riv - er, flow gen - tly for me.

D Edim/D D

Such pre - cious car - go you bear.

B \flat F Cm7 D B \flat /A \flat

Do you know some - where he can live free? Riv - er, de -

The first system of the score features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#). The vocal line starts with a half note on G4, followed by quarter notes on A4, B4, and C5. The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and a moving bass line in the left hand.

A/G D Edim/D D Edim/D

liv - er him there.

poco rit. *a tempo* *poco accel.*

The second system continues the vocal line with a half note on G4, followed by quarter notes on A4, B4, and C5. The piano accompaniment includes dynamic markings: *poco rit.*, *a tempo*, and *poco accel.*

Poco più mosso

D Edim/D D Edim/D

Eh
(bright, guttural vowel... like a cry to the heavens)

f

The third system is marked **Poco più mosso**. The vocal line features a long note on G4. The piano accompaniment includes a forte (*f*) dynamic marking and a consistent rhythmic pattern in the bass line.

D Edim/D D

Eh

The fourth system continues the vocal line with a long note on G4. The piano accompaniment maintains the same rhythmic pattern as the previous system.

ff accel.

Bb F Gm D

Con moto
ENSEMBLE:

Bbm Am Db C

Ah Ah

Db/F C/F B/F Bb/F A/F Ab/F G/F

Ah Ooh

dim. rit. mp

Slowly
C G/B G

TUYA: We must find a good name for you.
MIRIAM: Moses, your Majesty.

TUYA: Moses. What does that mean?
MIRIAM: Deliverance.

TUYA: "De -

p rall.

With more motion, in 2

Cm Abmaj7 Bb

liv - er - ance"... The per - fect name: "De - liv - er - ance"... For you came, de -

G(b2) Cm F G5

TUYA: Ramses, meet your new brother, Moses!

liv - ered to me by the great, blue Nile.

rit.

Tempo, as before

C Ddim/C C Ddim/C

sim.

C Ddim/C C Ddim/C

YOUNG MIRIAM:

Broth - er, you're safe now, and safe may you stay, for

C Ddim/C C Ab

I have a pray'r just for you... Grow, ba - by

Eb Bbm7 C Ab/Gb G/F

broth - er, come back some - day, come and de - liv - er us

rall.

Slowly

Am E/G# Am Dm F G E7 Am

too. Ah Ah Ah

ENS: Ah Ah Ah

p

Broadly

D(add2)

E7

Am

E/G# Am

B

De - liv - er us. Send a shep-herd to

ff

shep - herd us and de - liv - er us to the prom - ised land. De -

Em D/G A Am Am/B B C/Bb

liv - er us to the prom - ised land.

Am7 Am/B B **Con moto** E Am6/E

molto rit.

YOCHAVED: De - liv - er us! **SLAVES:** Huh!

E Am6/E E

molto rall. *fp*

8vb