

(2)

Wade in the water

Trad.
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J = 90

Soprano (S) - Alto (A) - Bass (B)

Em P Em/D C G B7(sus4) Em A Bm/D

Wade in the wa - ter, wade in the

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Wade wa - ter, wade

C F#7 B7(#5) Em P Em/D C G B7(sus4)

wa - ter chil - dren, wade in the wa - ter.

wa - ter wade in the wa - ter.

wa - ter child - ren, wade wa - ter.

N.C. B7 Em Fine Em Em'

God's gon - na trou - ble the wa - ter. Oh oh

God's gon - na trou - ble the wa - ter. Oh oh

God's gon - na trou - ble the wa - ter. Who's that young girl

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The musical score consists of four systems of music. System 1 (measures 1-3) starts with Soprano (S) and Alto (A) in E major (Em), followed by Bass (B) in G major (G). Chords include Em, D major (D), C major (C), G major (G), B7sus4, Em, A major (A), and D major (D). The lyrics are "Wade in the wa - ter, wade in the" for Soprano and Alto, and "Wade in the wa - ter, wade in" for Bass. System 2 (measures 4-6) continues with the same vocal parts and chords, adding "wa - ter" to the lyrics. System 3 (measures 7-9) introduces a new section starting with "N.C." (Not Otherwise Considered) in E major (Em), followed by B7, Em, and then a "Fine" ending. The lyrics are "God's gon - na trou - ble the wa - ter. Oh oh". System 4 (measures 10-12) concludes with the bass line continuing the "Oh oh" pattern, while the lyrics "Who's that young girl" are repeated three times.

10 A⁷ B^{7(#5)} Em⁰ Em/D C⁹ B⁹

in red.
in white.
in blue.
Wade in the wa - ter.

in red.
in white.
in blue.
Wade in the wa - ter.

dressed in red?
dressed in white?
dressed in blue?
Wade in the wa - ter.

13 Em 1 Em/D 3 C⁷ B^{7(SUS4)}

Must be the child - ren that
Must be the child - ren of
Must be the child - ren that
Mo - ses led.
Is - ra - lite.
are com - ing through.

Oh oh
Mo - ses led.
Is - ra - lite.
are com - ing through.

Oh oh
Mo - ses led.
Is - ra - lite.
are com - ing through.

15 N.C.M.P. B⁷ Em D.C.a

God's gon - na troub - le
the wa - ter.

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the wa - ter.

God's gon - na troub - le
the wa - ter.