

Dedicated to the participants of the 2013 Iredell Statesville All-County Choral Festival, Statesville, NC.  
Sally K. Albrecht, Guest Conductor

# TROUBLE!

## Soon I Will Be Done • Wade in the Water

for S.S.A.B. voices and piano  
with optional SoundTrax CD\*

Traditional Spirituals  
Arranged by **SALLY K. ALBRECHT**

With drama (♩ = ca. 96)

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SOPRANO I  
SOPRANO II  
ALTO

BARITONE

PIANO

With drama (♩ = ca. 96)

*f*

Trou - ble!

4  
*f*  
Trou - ble!

Trou - ble!

Trou - ble!

\* Also available S.A.T.B. (39804) and 2-part/S.S.A. (39806). SoundTrax CD available (39807).

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Soon I will be done with the trou-ble!

This system contains the first two staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line in treble clef with lyrics underneath. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment in bass clef. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The music consists of chords in the vocal line and a simple bass line in the piano accompaniment.

This system shows the piano accompaniment for the second system of music, continuing from the first system. It features a bass line in the left hand and chords in the right hand.

11 With spirit (♩ = ca. 138)

Soon I will be done, soon I will be done.

This system contains the third and fourth staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line with lyrics. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment. The tempo marking 'With spirit (♩ = ca. 138)' is placed above the first staff. The dynamics 'mp' (mezzo-piano) are indicated above the vocal line and below the piano accompaniment.

With spirit (♩ = ca. 138)

This system shows the piano accompaniment for the fourth system of music. The dynamics 'mf' (mezzo-forte) are indicated above the piano accompaniment.

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Soon I will be done, soon I will be done.

This system contains the fifth and sixth staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line with lyrics. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment. The number '14' is written above the first staff.

This system shows the piano accompaniment for the sixth system of music, continuing from the fifth system.

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*mp*

Wade in the wa - ter. Wade in the

Soon I will be done, soon I will be done. Soon I will be done.

19

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

soon I will be done. Soon I will be done. soon I will be done.

22

24

God's gon-na trou-ble the wa - ter. — Soon I will be done,

God's gon-na trou-ble the wa - ter. — Wade in the

25

soon I will be done.      Soon I will be done,      soon I will be done.

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

28

Soon I will be done,      soon I will be done.      God's gon-na trou-ble the

Wade      in the wa - ter      God's gon-na trou-ble the

31

32 *mf*

wa - ter.      See that band all dressed in red.

wa - ter.

34 Trou-ble the wa - ter.\_\_\_\_  
 Trou-ble the wa - ter.\_\_\_\_ Must be the ones that  
 Trou-ble the wa - ter.\_\_\_\_

Piano accompaniment for measures 34-36, featuring chords and melodic lines in both treble and bass clefs.

37 Mos - es led.\_\_\_\_ Trou-ble the wa - ter.\_\_\_\_  
 Trou-ble the wa - ter.\_\_\_\_

Piano accompaniment for measures 37-39, featuring chords and melodic lines in both treble and bass clefs.

40 Wade in the wa - ter. Wade in the wa - ter, chil - dren.

Piano accompaniment for measures 40-43, featuring chords and melodic lines in both treble and bass clefs.

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Wade in the wa - ter. God's gon - na trou - ble the

47

wa - ter.

50

Soon I will be done with the trou - bles of the world,

52

trou - bles of the world, the trou - bles of the world.

54

Soon I will be done with the trou - bles of the world. Goin'

56

home to live with God.

home to live. Soon I will be done, soon I will be done.

59

No more weep - in', wail - in'. No more

No more weep-in' and a - wail - in'. No more

62

weep - in', wail - in'. No more weep - in', wail - in'. I'm

weep-in' and a - wail - in'. No more weep-in' and a - wail - in'. I'm

65

goin' to live with God.

goin' to live with God.



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DESCANT

*f*

Wade in the wa - ter.

Wade in the wa - ter.

Soon I will be done with the trou - bles of the world,

Soon I will be done with the trou - bles of the world,

Wade in the wa - ter, chil - dren.

Wade in the wa - ter, chil - dren.

trou - bles of the world, the trou - bles of the world.

trou - bles of the world, the trou - bles of the world.

72

Wade in the wa - ter. No more weep - in',

*cresc. to end*

Soon I will be done with the trou-bles of the world. Goin' home to

*cresc. to end*

*cresc. to end*

75

no more wail - in', God. Soon I will be done!

*ff*

live with God. Soon I will be done!

*ff*

*ff*