

DRY BONES

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

Traditional Spiritual
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Swing, fast (♩ = ca. 176-184) (♩♩ = $\overset{\text{3}}{\text{♩}}$)

FINGER
SNAPS

PIANO

Musical score for Finger Snaps and Piano, measures 1-3. The Finger Snaps part is in 4/4 time with a 7-measure rest on each beat. The Piano part starts with a drum fill, then a melody in the right hand and bass line in the left hand. Dynamics include *mf* and N.C. (No Chords).

4

Musical score for Finger Snaps and Piano, measures 4-7. The Finger Snaps part continues with 7-measure rests. The Piano part continues with the melody and bass line. Dynamics include *cresc.* (crescendo).

8

Finger snaps continue on beats 2 and 4, through measure 41.

Musical score for Finger Snaps and Piano, measures 8-11. The Finger Snaps part continues with 7-measure rests. The Piano part continues with the melody and bass line. Chords are indicated as E7(9#5), Am, and D13. Dynamics include *f* (forte).

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11 SOPRANO *mf* 13

ALTO

TENOR *mf*

BASS

Dem bones, dem bones, dem

mf

Am \wedge \wedge D¹³ Am Am(add2) Am Am(maj7)

14 *sfz* *mf*

dry bones! Dem

Am⁷ D¹³

sfz *mf*

bones, dem bones, dem dry bones!

Am Am(add2) Am Am(maj7) Am⁷ D¹³

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20

mf 22 *jazzy, with articulation*

E - ze - kiel cried, "Dem

mf

E+7(#9) Am(add9)

mf
(cued notes are optional)

23

dry bones!" E - ze - kiel cried, "Dem dry bones!" E -

E+7(#9) Am(add9)

26

ze - kiel cried "Dem dry bones!" Now hear the word of the Lord!

E⁹ Am

29 31

E - ze-kiel con-nect a dem

N.C. Am⁹

(play if no string bass) *(play)*
mf

32

dry — bones! E - ze-kiel con-nect a dem dry — bones! E -

Am

35

ze-kiel con-nect a dem dry — bones! Now hear the word of the Lord! —

f

F⁹ Am/E E⁷

Am D¹³ Am D¹³

f

42 (end finger snaps)

Well, da toe bone con-nect-ed to da foot— bone; da

mf *mf*

Am *mf* (Gene Krupa drum feel)

foot bone con-nect-ed to da an - kle bone; da an-kle bone con-nect-ed to da

F⁷ Am

47

shin bone; da shin bone con-nect-ed to da knee bone.

TEN. only

F7

50

Toe bone, foot bone, an - kle bone, shin bone. Hear the

f + BASS

Am Am/E

53

word of the Lord! Dem

E7 E7(b9) Am E+7(#9) Am

56

bones, dem bones, dem dry ___ bones! Dem bones, dem bones, dem

Dm7 E9

59

dry ___ bones! Dem bones, dem bones, dem dry ___ bones! Now

Am F#m

62

1. hear the word of the Lord! ___ Dem ___ Well, da
mf

Am/E E7 1. Am E+ Am/E 2. Am E+

65

shin bone con - nect - ed to da knee — bone; da

Am
mf
(Gene Krupa drum feel)

67

knee bone con - nect - ed to da thigh — bone; da

Bbm

69

thigh bone con - nect - ed to da hip — bone; da

Bm

71

hip bone con - nect - ed to da back — bone;

Cm

73

cresc.

Back bone, shoul - der bone, neck bone, head bone. Hear the

N.C.

Am/E

cresc.

76

word

of the Lord!

Dem

E7

Am

E9

Am

79

bones, dem bones gon - na walk a - round! Dem bones, dem bones gon - na

Dm⁷ E⁷

82

walk a - round! Dem bones, dem bones gon - na walk a - round! Now

Am F⁹

85

hear the word of the Lord! Dem

Am/E E⁷ Am

87

bones, dem bones gon-na walk a-round! Dem bones, dem bones gon-na

Bbm Ebm7 F7

90

walk a-round! Dem bones, dem bones gon-na walk a-round! Now

Bbm Gbm

93

hear the word of the Lord!

Bbm/F F7 Bbm

96

ff > Walk, walk a-round, walk,

ff Bm F#7

(cued note on repeat)

99

walk a-round, walk, walk a-round and a -

Bm G7

102

round and a-round and a-round!

Bm/F# F#7(b9)/E Bm6/D F#7/C# Bm

104

Dem bones, dem dry bones! _ Dem bones, dem

E6 Bm

107

dry bones! _ Dem bones, dem dry bones! _

E6 Bm E6

110

Dem bones, dem dry bones! _ Now hear, hear the

Bm E6 Bm/F#

114

word! Now hear the word of the Lord!

F# F#7 F#7(b9)/E Bm6/D F#7/C# Bm

117

120

rit.

Yeah!

rit.
(drum fill)

Bm(maj9)