



# Rhythm of life

Koninklijk Mannenkoor  
Die Haghe Sanghers  
oefenversie  
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♩ = ca.92

(A) *mp* *mf* ② ④

unisono

When I start-ed down the street last Sun-day, feel-in' might-y low and kind-a mean

*mf* ⑥ ⑧

sud-den-ly a voice said, "Go forth, neigh-bor! Spread the pic-ture on a wid-er screen!" And the

(B) ⑩ ⑫

voice said, "Neig-bor, there's a mil-lion rea-sons Why you should be glad in all four sea-sons!

⑭ ⑯

hit the road, neigh-bor, leave your wor-ries and strife! Spread the re - li-gion of the rhy-thm of life." for the

(C) ⑱ ⑳

rhy-thm of life is a pow-er-ful beat, puts a tin-gle in your fin-gers and a tin-gle in your feet!

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Rhy-thm on the in-side, rhy-thm on the street, And the rhy-thm of life is a pow-er-ful beat!

(D) ㉖

T 1 *mf*

T 2 Bar Bas *mf*

to feel the rhy-thm of life, To feel the

For the rhy-thm of life is a pow-er-ful beat, puts a tin-gle in your fin-gers and a

(28) ㉓

T 1

pow-er ful beat To feel the tin - gle in your fin - gers

T 2 Bar Bas

tin - gle in your feet! Rhy - thm on the in - side, rhy - thm on the street, And the

T 1 (32)  
 To feel the tin - gle in your feet!

T 2 Bar Bas | T2 / Bar only  
 rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat! For the

(E) (34)  
 to feel the rhy - thm of life To feel the

rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat, puts a tin - gle in your fin - gers and a

Go, go, go! (38) go, go,

T 1 (36)  
 pow - er ful beat To feel the tin - gle in your fin - gers

T 2 Bar  
 tin - gle in your feet! Rhy - thm on the in - side, rhy - thm on the street, And the

Bas  
 go! Tell (40) them ev - 'ry

T 1  
 To feel the tin - gle in your feet!

T 2 Bar  
 rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat!

Bas  
 thing you know!

(F) (42) (44)  
*p* Go and spread the gos - pel in Mil - wau - kee; Take a walk - ie talk - ie to Rock - y Ridge!

(46) (48)  
 All the way to Can - ton, then to Scran - ton, Ev - en tell it un - der the Man - hat - tan Bridge

(G) 50

T 1  
T 2

8

You will make a new sen - sat - ion, Have a gro - wing con - gre - ga - tion,

Bar  
Bas

52

T 1  
T 2

8

Build a glow - ing op - er - a - tion here be - low!

Bar  
Bas

54

T 1  
T 2

8

Like a Pied - Pip - er Blow - ing, Lead and keep the mu - sic flo - wing,

Bar  
Bas

56

T 1  
T 2

8

Keep the rhy - thm go, go, go - ing go, go, go!

Bar  
Bas

(H) 58

T 1  
T 2

8

You will make a new sen - sa - tion

Bar  
Bas

You will make a new sen - sat - ion, Have a gro - wing con - gre - ga - tion,

(60)

T 1  
T 2

Have a grow - ing con - gre - ga - tion

Bar  
Bas

Build a glow - ing op - er - a - tion here be - low!

(62)

T 1  
T 2

Build a glow - ing op - er - a - tion

Bar  
Bas

Like a Pied - er Blow - ing, Lead and keep the mu - sic flo - wing,

(64)

T 1  
T 2

here - low! Go, go!

Bar  
Bas

Keep the rhy - thm go, go, go - ing go, go, go!

(H2) (66)

T 1  
T 2

Like a Pied Pip - er blow - ing

Bar  
Bas

You will make a new sen - sat - ion, Have a gro - wing con - gre - ga - tion,

(68)

T 1  
T 2

Lead and keep the mus - ic flow - ing

Bar  
Bas

Build a glow - ing op - er - a - tion here be - low!

(70)

T 1  
T 2

Keep the rhy - thm go, go, go - ing

Bar  
Bas

Like a Pied — Pip - er Blow - ing, Lead and keep the mu - sic flo - wing,

(72)

T 1  
T 2

go, — go, — go, go, go!

Bar  
Bas

Keep the rhy - thm go, go, go - ing go, go, go!

(74) (76)

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uni

*mp*

Flip your wings and fly up High! — Flip your wings and fly up High! —

(78) (80)

uni

Flip your wings and fly up High! — Fly, fly, fly up High!

(82) (84)

J

T 1  
T 2

*mf*

You can do it if you try! — You can do it if you try! —

Bar  
Bas

*mf*

You can do it if you try! — You can do it if you try! —

(86) (88)

T 1  
T 2

You can do it if you try! — Try, try, try to fly! —

Bar  
Bas

You can do it if you try! — Try, try, try to fly! —

(K) 90 92

T 1  
Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_ Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_

T 2  
Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_ Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_

Bar  
Bas  
Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_ Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_

94 96

T 1  
Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_ Fly, fly, fly, \_\_\_\_\_

T 2  
Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_ Fly, fly, fly, \_\_\_\_\_

Bar  
Bas  
Like a bird up in the sky! \_\_\_\_\_ Fly, fly, fly, \_\_\_\_\_

(L) 98 100

T 1  
\_\_\_\_\_

T 2  
\_\_\_\_\_

Bar  
\_\_\_\_\_

Bas  
*pp*  
do - bi, do - bi, do - bi, do - bi,

102 104

T 1  
\_\_\_\_\_

T 2  
\_\_\_\_\_

Bar  
\_\_\_\_\_

Bas  
*pp*  
do - bi, do - bi, do - bi, doo.

(106) (108)

T 1

T 2 Bar

Bas

*p* Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi doo-bi, doo-bi,

doo - bi, doo - bi, doo - bi, doo - bi,

(110) (112)

T 1

T 2 Bar

Bas

Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi doo-bi, doo,

doo - bi, doo - bi, doo - bi, doo.

(114)

T 1

T 2 Bar

Bas

*mp* Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi,

*mp* Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi,

*mp* doo - bi, doo - bi, doo - bi,

(116) (118)

T 1

T 2 Bar

Bas

doo-bi doo-bi, doo-bi, Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi,

doo-bi doo-bi, doo-bi, Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi, doo-bi Doo-bi,

doo - bi, doo - bi, doo - bi,

(120)

T 1  
 doo - bi Doo - bi, doo - bi Doo - bi, doo - bi Doo - bi, Doo. O, the

T 2  
 Bar  
 doo - bi Doo - bi, doo - bi Doo - bi, doo - bi Doo - bi, Doo. O, the

Bas  
 doo - bi, Doo. O, the

(M) (122)

uni  
 rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat, puts a tin - gle in your fin - gers and a

(124) (126)

uni  
 tin - gle in your feet! Rhy - thm on the in - side, rhy - thm on the street, And the

(128) | Bar / Bas only

uni  
 rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat! O, the

(N) (130)

T 1  
 T 2  
 to feel the rhy - thm of life To feel the

Bar  
 Bas  
 rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat, puts a tin - gle in your fin - gers and a

(132) (134)

T 1  
 pow - er ful beat! To feel the tin - gle in your fin - gers,

Bar  
 Bas  
 tin - gle in your feet! Rhy - thm on the in - side, rhy - thm on the street, And the



(136)

T 1  
T 2

To feel the tin - gle in your feet!

Bar / Bas only

Bar  
Bas

rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat! O, the

(138) (140)

(O)

*mf*

T 1  
T 2

to feel the rhy - thm of life To feel the pow - er ful beat

Bar

rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat, puts a tin - gle in your fin - gers and a tin - gle in your feet!

Bas

Go, go, go! Go, go, go!

(142) (144)

T 1  
T 2

To feel the tin - gle in your fin - gers, To feel the tin - gle in your feet!

Bar

Rhy - thm on the in side, rhy - thm on the street, And the rhy - thm of life is a pow - er - ful beat!

Bas

Tell them ev - 'ry - thing you know!

(146) (148)

(P)

*f*

T 1

to feel the rhy - thm of life To feel the pow - er ful beat

T 2

to feel the rhy - thm of life To feel the pow - er ful beat

Bar  
Bas

to feel the rhy - thm of life To feel the pow - er ful beat

(150) (152)

T 1  
To feel the tin - gle in your fin - gers, To feel the tin - gle in your

T 2  
To feel the tin - gle in your fin - gers, To feel the tin - gle in your

Bar  
Bas

T 1  
*ff* Life, \_\_\_\_\_ life, \_\_\_\_\_ life, \_\_\_\_\_

T 2  
*ff* Life, \_\_\_\_\_ life, \_\_\_\_\_ life, \_\_\_\_\_

Bar  
Bas  
*ff* Life, \_\_\_\_\_ life, \_\_\_\_\_ life, \_\_\_\_\_

(160) (162)

T 1  
Neigh - bor you've got the rhy - thm rhy - thm rhy - thm

T 2  
Neigh - bor you've got the rhy - thm rhy - thm rhy - thm

Bar  
Bas  
Neigh - bor you've got the rhy - thm rhy - thm rhy - thm

(164) (166)

T 1  
Rhy - thm of life! \_\_\_\_\_

T 2  
Rhy - thm of life! \_\_\_\_\_

Bar  
Bas  
Rhy - thm of life! \_\_\_\_\_