

Africa

The 1983 #1 Hit by TOTO

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Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Boo boo boo (etc)

Doo doo (etc)

Doo doo (etc)

S

A

T

B

Doo (etc)

Doo (etc)

I hear the drums ech-o - ing to-night, but she hears on - ly whis - pers of some

Dng g chng (etc)

S

A

T

B

Doo doo (etc) Doo

Doo doo (etc) Doo

qui-et con-ver-sa - tion. Doo doo doo She's com-ing in

Doo doo (etc) Dng g chng

15

S (etc) _____

A (etc) _____

T _____

B _____

_____ twelve thirty flight, _____ her moon-lit wings _____ re - flect the stars _____ that guide me to-wards sal -

(etc) _____

20

S _____

A _____ Doo doo (etc) _____ Doo (etc) _____

T _____ Doo doo (etc) _____ Doo (etc) _____

B _____

_____ va - - tion. _____ Doo doo doo _____ I stopped an old _____ man a-long the way, -

_____ Doo doo (etc) _____ Dng g chng (etc) _____

25

S _____

A _____

T _____

B _____

_____ hop-ing to find _____ some long for-got - ten words _____ or an-cient mel o -

30

S _____

A _____ Doo doo (etc) _____ Doo (etc) _____

T _____ Doo doo (etc) _____ Doo (etc) _____

B _____

_____ dies. _____ Doo doo doo _____ He turned _____ to me _____ as if _____ to say, _____

_____ Doo doo (etc) _____ Dng g chng (etc) _____

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S Doo doo (etc) Doo Ah

A "Hur-ry boy, it's wait-ing there for you." Doo Ah

T "Hur-ry boy, it's wait-ing there for you."

B Doo doo (etc) Doo doo doo Dng g chng Dng g chng

40

S Gon - na take a lot a-way, oo There a

A It's gon-na take a lot to drag me a-way from you. There's noth-ing that a

T Gon - na take a lot a-way, oo There's noth-ing that a

B Ba ba da (etc)

45

S hun-dren men or more, oo I rain in Af -

A hun-dred men or more could ev-er do. I bless the rains down in Af -

T hun-dred men or more could ev-er do. I bless the rains down in Af -

B

50

S ri-ca. Gon - na take some time

A ri-ca Gon-na take some time to do the things we nev - er

T ri-ca Gon-na take some time to do the things we nev - er

B

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S

A

T

B

had. Oo Doo doo Boo boo

Doo doo Doo doo (etc)

60

To Coda

S

A

T

B

boo (etc) Oo Shoo ga (etc) (etc)

Dng g chng Dng g chng Dng g chng (etc)

The wild dogs cry out in the night

64

S

A

T

B

as they grow rest - less long-ing for some sol - i - ta - ry

68

S

A

T

B

Doo doo (etc) Doo doo doo Oo

com - pa - ny. Doo doo doo I know that I

Doo Doo (etc)

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72

S (etc)

A Shoo ga (etc)

T 8 must do what's right, sure as Kil-i-man-ja - ro ris - es like O-lym -

B Dng g chng (etc)

76

S

A Doo doo (etc)

T 8 - pus a - bove the Ser - - - en - ge - ti. Doo doo doo

B Doo doo (etc)

80

S Oo (etc)

A Shoo ga (etc)

T 8 I seek to cure what's deep in - side, fright-ened of this

B Dng g chng (etc)

84

S D.S. al Coda Coda

A Doo doo (etc) Ah Doo doo doo (etc)

T 8 thing that I've be-come. Oo Ah Shook-a (etc)

B Dng g chng

Doo doo (etc) Dng g chng (etc) Dng g chng

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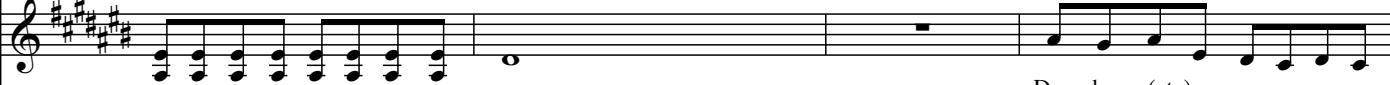
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Doo doo doo (etc)

89 A 
Shook - a (etc)

89 T 
(etc)

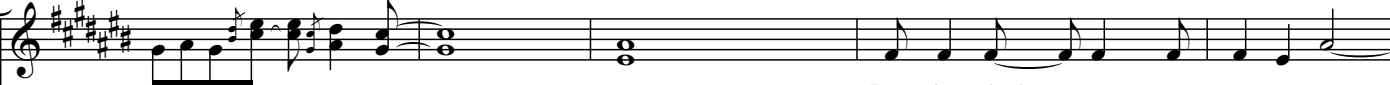
89 B 
(etc)

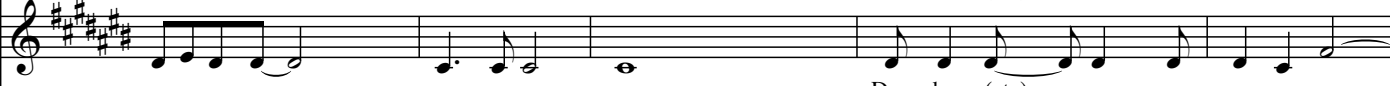
94 S 
Doo doo (etc)

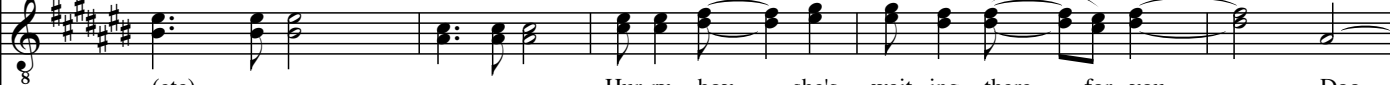
94 A 
Doo doo (etc)

94 T 
Doo doo (etc)

94 B 
Doo doo (etc) Dng g chng

98 S 
Doo doo (etc)

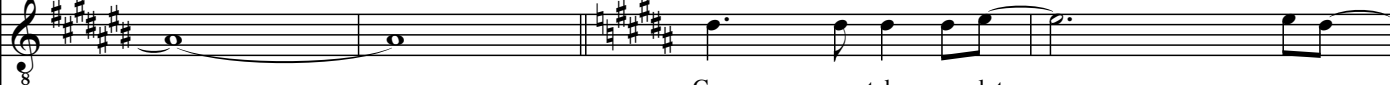
98 A 
Doo doo (etc)

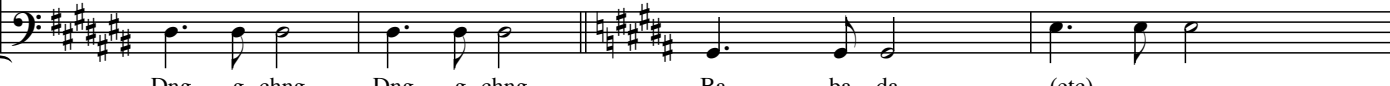
98 T 
(etc) Hur-ry boy, she's wait - ing there for you. Doo

98 B 
(etc) Doo doo (etc)

103 S 
Gon - na take a lot a - way,

103 A 
It's gon-na take a lot to drag me a - way

103 T 
Gon - na take a lot a - way,

103 B 
Dng g chng Dng g chng Ba ba da (etc)

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107

S
oo There a hun-dred men or more,

A
from you. There's no-thing that a hun-dred men or more could ev-er do

T
oo There's no-thing that a hun-dred men or more could ev-er do.

B

112

S
oo I rain in Af - - ri-ca.

A
I bless the rains down in Af - - ri-ca.

T
I bless the rains down in Af - - ri-ca.

B
Ba ba da (etc)

117

S
Gon - na take some time

A
Gon-na take some time to do the things we nev - er had.

T
Gon-na take some time to do the things we nev - er had.

B

122

S
Doo doo Boo boo boo (etc)

A
Oo Doo doo (etc) Boo boo boo (etc)

T
Oo Doo doo (etc)

B
Doo doo Doo doo (etc) Dng g chng Dng g chng

127

S

127

A

127

T

127

B

Doo doo (etc)

Doo doo (etc)

Doo doo (etc)

Doo doo (etc)