

My Lord! what a mourning

Chorus

Negro Spiritual

The musical score consists of three staves of music in common time, key signature one flat. The top staff is for the soprano voice, the middle staff for the alto or tenor, and the bottom staff for the bass. The vocal parts are labeled "Chorus" and "Leader". The lyrics are integrated into the musical lines.

Chorus

My Lord! what a mour - ning, My Lord! what a

mour - ning, My Lord! what a mourn-ing when the

Leader

stars be-gin to fall. You'll hear the trum-pet sound to
You'll hear the sin - ner cry to
You'll hear the Chris-tian shout to

wake the na - tions un - der - ground

look - ing to my God's right hand,

Chorus

When the stars be - gin to fall.

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1

My Lord! what a mourning,
My Lord! what a mourning,
My Lord! what a mourning
when the stars begin to fall.

Mein Gott, Welch ein Wehklagen,
wenn die Sterne zu stürzen beginnen.

You'll hear the trumpet sound
to wake the nations
underground
looking to my God's right hand,
When the stars begin to fall.

Du wirst die Trompetentöne hören,
um die Völker zu erwecken
unter der Erde,
während du auf meines Gottes
[rechte Hand siehst,

2

You'll hear the sinner cry ...

Du wirst den Sünder weinen hören ...

3

You'll hear the Christian shout ...

Du wirst den Christen rufen hören ...

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