

Roll Jordan, roll!

Negro Spiritual

Roll Jor-dan roll! Roll Jor-dan roll, I want to go to

The first system of the musical score for 'Roll Jordan, roll!'. It consists of a treble and a bass staff. The treble staff has a melody with lyrics 'Roll Jor-dan roll! Roll Jor-dan roll, I want to go to'. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment.

hea-ven when I die, to hear ol' Jor-dan roll.

The second system of the musical score. The treble staff continues the melody with lyrics 'hea-ven when I die, to hear ol' Jor-dan roll.'. The bass staff continues the accompaniment.

Chorus
Yes my Lord

Leader
O bro-ther you ought to been there
O sis-ter you ought to been there
O see-ker you ought to been there

The third system of the musical score. It features a 'Chorus' section with the lyrics 'Yes my Lord'. Below this, a 'Leader' part is shown with three lines of lyrics: 'O bro-ther you ought to been there', 'O sis-ter you ought to been there', and 'O see-ker you ought to been there'. The musical notation includes a rest in the treble staff for the first two lines.

Chorus
To hear ol' Jor-dan roll.

Leader
sit-ting in the king-dom,

The fourth system of the musical score. It features another 'Chorus' section with the lyrics 'To hear ol' Jor-dan roll.'. Below this, a 'Leader' part is shown with the lyrics 'sit-ting in the king-dom,'. The musical notation includes a rest in the treble staff for the first two lines.

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Geistliches Lied der Schwarzen

Chorus

Chor

Roll, Jordan, roll!

Ströme, Jordan, ströme!

Roll, Jordan, roll,

I want to go to heaven

Ich möchte in den Himmel (ein-)gehen

when I die,

wenn ich sterbe,

to hear ol' Jordan roll.

den alten Jordan strömen zu hören.

(O bretheren)

(Oh, Brüder)

Leader

Vorsänger

O brother

Oh, Bruder,

Chorus

Yes my Lord,

Ja, mein Herr,

Leader

A-sitting in the kingdom, Sitzend im Königreich,

Chorus

To hear ol' Jordan roll.

Leader

O sister

Oh, Schwester,

you ought to been there,

du solltest dort sein,

yes my Lord,

Leader

O seeker

Oh, Sucher,

you ought to been there,

du solltest dort sein,

yes my Lord,

a-sitting in the kingdom.

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