

This Little Light of Mine

Traditional African-American Spiritual

Arranged by Clifton J. Noble, Jr.

For SSA chorus with piano accompaniment

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Driving: ♩ = 100

Soprano

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Alto

Piano

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mp

5

sfz

9 All voices, unison

mp

This lit - tle light of mine I'm gon - na let it shine, This lit-tle light of mine

p

12 Sopranos *cresc.* *f*
 I'm gon-na let it shine This lit-tle light of mine_ I'm gon-na let it shine let it shine,

Altos *f*
 I'm gon-na let it shine, shine, shine let it shine,

15 *dim.* *mp*
 — let it shine, let it shine. — is the light of love,
dim. *mp*
 let it shine, let it shine. — is the light of love,
dim. *mp* *mf*
 — let it shine, let it shine. — The light that shines is the light of love,

18 *mf*
 from a- bove Oh_ shines on you, shows what the pow-er of love can_do, I'm gon-na
mf
 from a- bove Oh_ shines on you, shows what the pow-er of love can_do, I'm gon-na
 lights the dark-ness from a - bove, it shines on me and it shines on you, shows what the pow-er of love can_do, I'm gon-na

4 21

mp shine far and near shine, *f* bright_ and clear_ where there's a dark corn - er in this land

mp shine far and near shine, *f* bright_ and clear_ where there's a dark corn - er in this land

shine my light both far and near shine my light both bright and clear where there's a dark corn - er in this land

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p let it shine. *mp* This lit - tle light of mine *f* I'm gon - na let it shine,

p let it shine. *mp* This lit - tle light of mine *f* I'm gon - na let it shine,

subito p gon - na let my lit - tle light shine. *mp* This lit - tle light of mine *f* I'm gon - na let it shine,

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cresc. *f* This lit - tle light of mine I'm gon - na let it shine This lit - tle light of mine

cresc. *f* This lit - tle light of mine I'm gon - na let it shine This lit - tle light of mine

f This lit - tle light of mine I'm gon - na let it shine I'm gon - na let it

30 *dim.*

I'm gon - na let it shine let it shine, let it shine, let it shine. —

dim.

I'm gon - na let it shine let it shine, let it shine, let it shine. —

dim. *mf*

shine, shine, shine let it shine, let it shine, let it shine. — On

33 *mp*

gave me the gift of love from a - bove, Oh have more faith

mp

gave me the gift of love from a - bove, Oh have more faith

Mon - day he gave me the gift of love Tues - day peace came from a - bove, Wedn' - sday he told me to have more faith,

36 *mf* *mp*

Thurs - day he gave me a lit - tle more grace, Oh, watch and pray Oh what to say_ and

mf *mp*

Thurs - day he gave me a lit - tle more grace, Oh, watch and pray Oh what to say_ and

Thurs - day he gave me a lit - tle more grace, Fri - day he told me to watch and pray Sat - ur - day told me just what to say_ and

r.h.

6 39 *f* Sun-day he gave me the pow'r di- vine *p* let it shine let it shine let it shine

f Sun-day he gave me the pow'r di- vine *p* let it shine let it shine let it shine

f Sun-day he gave me the pow'r di- vine *p* to let my lit-tle light shine, let it shine let it shine let it shine

43 *f* We've got the light of free - dom, we're gon - na let it shine we've got the light of free - dom,

f We've got the light of free - dom, we're gon - na let it shine we've got the light of free - dom,

f We've got the light of free - dom, We're gon - na let it shine we've got the light of free - dom,

46 *sub. p* we're gon - na let it shine we've got the light of free - dom, we're gon - na let it shine, let it shine

sub. p we're gon - na let it shine we've got the light of free - dom, we're gon - na let it shine, let it shine

sub. p we're gon - na let it shine we've got the light of free - dom, we're gon - na let it shine, let it shine

49

ff

ev - 'ry - where I'm gon - na let it shine,

let it shine let it shine

let it shine let it shine

ff

ev - 'ry - where I'm gon - na let it shine,

ff

Ev - 'ry where I go_ I'm gon - na let it shine,

53

ev - 'ry - where I'm gon - na let it shine

ev - 'ry - where I'm gon - na let it shine

ev - 'ry - where I'm gon - na let it shine

Ev - 'ry - where

Ev - 'ry - where

Ev - 'ry - where

ev - 'ry where I go_ I'm gon - na let it shine

ev - 'ry - where I go_

56

mp slower, but in tempo

I'm gon - na let it shine_ Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!_

I'm gon - na let it shine_ Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!_

I'm gon - na let it shine_ Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!_

mp

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