

# Down in the river to pray

Dedicated to The Ladies (Wijnegem - BELGIUM)

SPIRITUAL

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SOPRANO 1

SOPRANO 2 *Solo1 mf*

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

As I went down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a-bout that good old\_

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way. And who shall wear the robe and crown? Good Lord, show me the way! O sis- ters, O sis- ters,

*Solo2 mf*

O sis- ters,

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let's go down... Let's go down, come on, down... Come on, sisters, let's go down.

let's go down... Let's go down, come on, down... Come on, sisters, let's go down.

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*Tutti mp*  
As I went down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a bout that good old

*Tutti p*  
Down in the riv-er to pray. Mm

*Tutti p*  
Down in the riv-er to pray. Mm

*Tutti p*  
Mm

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*mf*  
way. And who shall wear the star ry crown? Good Lord, show me the way! *mp* O broth-ers,

*mp*  
Oo

*mp*  
Oo

*mp*  
Oo

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let's go down. Let's go down, come on, down. Come on, broth-ers, let's go down.

Oo

Oo

Oo

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*mf*

Down in the riv-er to pray. As I went down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a bout that good old

*mf*

Down in the riv-er to pray. As I went down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a bout that good old

*mf*

Down in the riv-er to pray. As I went down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a bout that good old

Down in the riv-er to pray.

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way. And who shall wear the sil - ver crown? Good Lord, show me the way!

way. And who shall wear the sil - ver crown? Good Lord, show me the way!

way. And who shall wear the sil - ver crown? Good Lord, show me the way!

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O fath-ers, let's go down. Let's go down, come on, down. Come on, fath-ers, let's go down.

O fath-ers, let's go down. Let's go down, come on, down. Come on, fath-ers, let's go down.

O fath-ers, let's go down. Let's go down, come on, down. Come on, fath-ers, let's go down.

O fath-ers, let's go down. Let's go down, come on, down. Come on, fath-ers, let's go down.

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Down in the riv-er to pray. Down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a

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Down in the riv-er to pray. Down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a

Down in the riv-er to pray. Down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a

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bout that good old way. And who shall wear the gold-en crown. Good Lord, show me the way!

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bout that good old way. And who shall wear the gold-en crown. Good Lord, show me the way!

bout that good old way. And who shall wear the gold-en crown. Good Lord, show me the way!

58 *f*

O moth-ers, let's go down. Come on, down, would you want to go down.

*f*

O moth-ers, let's go down. Come on, down, would you want to go down.

*f*

O moth-ers, let's go down. Come on, down, would you want to go down.

*f*

O moth-ers, let's go down. Come on, down, would you want to go down.

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Come on, moth-ers, let's go down. Down in the riv-er to pray.

Come on, moth-ers, let's go down. Down in the riv-er to pray.

Come on, moth-ers, let's go down. Down in the riv-er to pray.

Come on, moth-ers, let's go down. Down in the riv-er to pray.

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*Solo1 mf*

As I went down in the riv-er to pray, stud-ying a - bout that good old

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[1'40"]