

Yes We Can Can

Funky groove

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$\text{♩} = 85$ Swing 16ths

Piano

1 F Tutti

Drum

1

Drums and Bass Only: Piano/guit in on repeat

F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ B_b/F F⁷

Guit: Improv Chicken Pickin' freely

Pno.

5 5 5 5

drum pattern

Dr.

5 5

(9) Soloist A

Solo

Now is the time for all good men to get together with one another.

Pno.

9 F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ B_b/F F⁷

2

Solo 11 iron out their pro-blems and iron out their quar-rels and try to live as bro-thers. And

Pno. 11 F E_b D⁷(^{#9}) G⁷ B_b/C F B_b/F

Solo 13 Soloist B try to find peace with-in with-out step-pin' on one a-no-ther And do-

S.A.T. 13 try to find

Choir 13 try to find

Pno. 13 F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ B_b/F F⁷

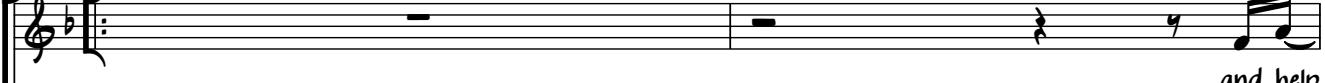
Solo 15 re - spect all the wo-men of the world, just Re-mem-ber, we all had mo-thers.

Pno. 15 F E_b D⁷(^{#9}) G⁷ B_b/C F B_b/F

17 Make this land a better land

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Soloist A

Solo: 

S.A.T: 

Choir: make this land a bet-ter land... than the world in which we live

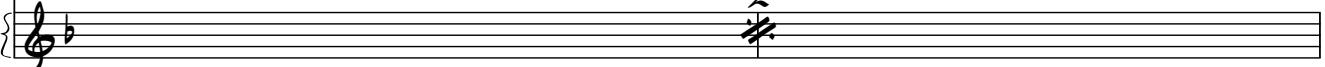
B: make this land a bet-ter land... than the world in which we live

Pno. 

F⁷
17 ""Make this land a better land"

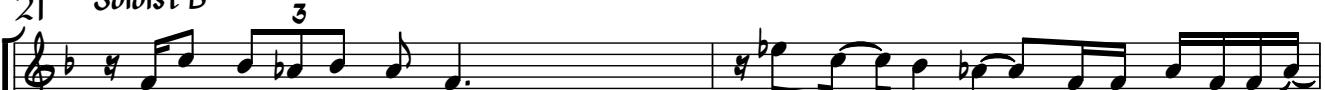
19 Solo: 

each man be a bet-ter man... With the kind-ness that you give

Pno. 

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21 Soloist B

21 Solo: 

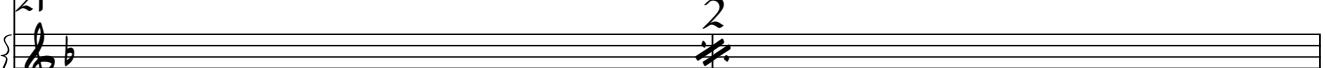
and I know we can make it I know darn well we can work it out

21 S.A.T: 

Choir: I know that we can

21 B: 

I know that we can

Pno. 

2

23

Solo

S.A.T

Choir

B

Pno.

23

Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can can, why can't we? If we wan-na, yes we can can,

23

Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can can, why can't we? If we wan-na, yes we can can,

23

2

25 Soloist A

Solo

S.A.T

Choir

B

Pno.

I know we can make it work

I know we can make it if we try

25

I know that we can

I know that we can

25

2

27

Solo

S,A,T

Choir

B

27

Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, great gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

27

Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, great gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

27

Pno.

2

(31) Soloist B

2nd verse:

29 1.

Solo

S,A,T

Choir

B

29

Take care of the chil-dren_ The

29

Solo

S,A,T

Choir

B

29

29 F

Pno.

29

F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ B_b/F

32

Solo

chil-dren of the world_ They're our strong-est hope fothe fu-ture, The lit-tle bit-ty boys and girls_

Pno.

32 F⁷ B_b/F F⁷ F E_b D⁷([#]) G⁷ B_b/C F B_b/F

Piano/Organ

S,A,T 47 2.

Choir 47

B

Pno. 47 F Tutti Eb B_b⁷/D Eb F Piano Solo

Pno. 51 2. C⁷ > > > > >

F (52) Guitar Solo

Eb B_b⁷/D Eb

S,A,T 54

Choir Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can can, why can't we? If we wan-na, yes we can can,

B 54

Choir Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can can, why can't we? If we wan-na, yes we can can,

Pno. 54 F

S,A,T (56)

Choir Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can

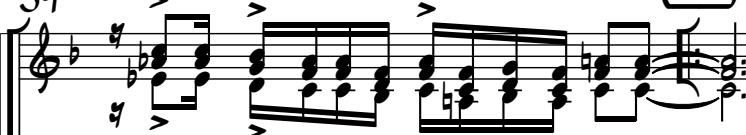
B 56

Choir Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can

Pno. 56 F Eb B_b⁷/D Eb F

Walk Bass: Organ Piano trade 2s

7 (60) 4x Repeat 4x

S.A.T. 59 

Choir 59 gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

B 59 

gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

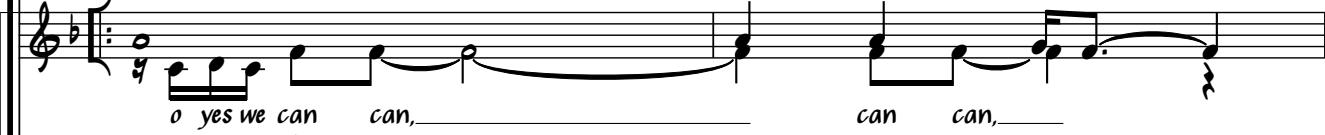
Pno. 59 

F F⁷_A Bb B⁷ E_C A⁺⁷_{C#} Dm⁷ G⁷ B_C

Band OUT til cue
Vocal Vamp 4x
(62) Soloist A: (4th time: BOTH)

Solo 62 

1st time: Basses, 2nd x add Tenors,
3rd x add Altos, 4th x add Sop.

S.A.T. 62 Yes, we can! 

Choir 62 o yes we can can, yes we can can, can we can, can we can,

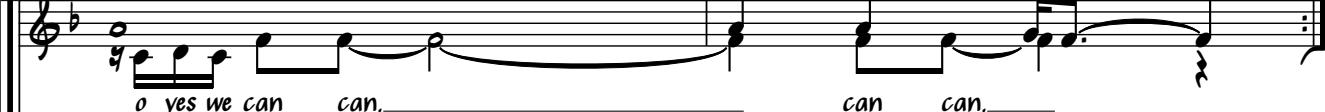
B 62 Tenors oh, yes we can can, can we can, can we can, I know we

Pno. 62 F F⁷_A Bb B⁷ E_C A⁺⁷_{C#} Dm⁷ G⁷ B_C

(64) Band sneak in 2nd time Soloist B: (4th time: BOTH) Repeat 4x

Solo 64 Yes, we can! 

Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, great gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can.

S.A.T. 64 Yes, we can! 

Choir 64 o yes we can can, can we can, can we can, can we can,

B 64 tenors oh, yes we can can, can we can, can we can, I know we

Pno. 64 F F⁷_A Bb B⁷ E_C A⁺⁷_{C#} Dm⁷ G⁷ B_C

Bass In

rit. A Tempo

(83) Soloists A and B

Solo: Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, yes, we can, Yes, we can! Can!

S,A,T: Yes, yes, we can! Yes, we can!

Choir: oh, yes, oh, yes, we can! Yes, we can!

B: tenors can, oh, yes, oh, yes, we can! Yes, we can!

Pno.: F F/A Bb B^o7 F/C A+⁷/C# Dm⁷ G7 Bb/C F 3 solos at once!

86 E_b B_b⁷/D E_b F end solos!

Pno. (ff)

(89) Soloists ad lib

Solo: —

S,A,T: —

Choir: Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can can, why can't we? If we wan-na, yes we can can,

B: Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can can, why can't we? If we wan-na, yes we can can,

Pno.: F E_b B_b⁷/D E_b

9

S.A.T 1.

Choir Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, great gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

B Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, great gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

91 F F

Pno. {

93 2.

S.A.T

Choir Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, great

B Oh yes we can, I know we can can, yes we can, great

93 F

Pno. {

94

S.A.T

Choir gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

B gosh a' might-y, yes we can, I know we can can

Fine