

The **GOSPELISH**
Choir

Season 1
2025

Again, I Say Rejoice - Israel Houghton & The New Breed

Enjoy it chaps - it's got that thing

A/S: Rejoice in the Lord always
And again I say, and again I say
Rejoice in the Lord always
And again I say, and again I say
Rejoice

All: Come bless the Lord, come bless the Lord
Draw near to worship Christ the Lord
And bless His name, His Holy name
Declaring He is good
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O that men would praise Him
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Praise his name to the ends of the earth
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O that man would praise His name
Again I say, Again I say

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Yes, We Can Can - Allen Toussaint/Pointer Sisters

Grooooooooooove - and be cool

ALL:

Now's the time for all good men
To get together with one another
We got to iron out our problems
iron out our quarrels
And try to live as brothers
try to find peace of mind
Without stepping on one another
Disrespect the women of the world
Remember, you all had mothers

We got to make this land a better land
Than the world in which we live
And we got to help each man be a better man
With the kindness that we give

I know we can make it
I know darn well, we can work it out
Oh, yes, we can, I know we can, can
Yes, we can, can, why can't we?
If we wanna, yes, we can, can
We can make it work
I think we should try
Oh, yes, we can, I know we can, can
Yes, we can
Oh, yes, we can, I know we can, can

We gotta take care of all the children
The children of the world
'Cause they're our strongest hope for the future
Those little boys and girls
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Than the world in which we live
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Deep River - Moses Hogan

It's Time

All: Ooooooh. Ooooooh

Deep River, my home is over Jordan

Deep River Lord, I want to cross over into campground

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Deep River Lord, I want to cross over into campground

Oh, don't you want to go to that Gospel feast?

That promised land where all is peace

Oh Deep River Lord, I want to cross over into campground

Oooooohhhhhh

Lacrimosa

Classically flavoured pls! Lots of soft palates and warm stuff

Lacrimosa dies illa

Qua resurget ex favilla

Judicandus homo reus.

Huic ergo parce, Deus:

Pie Jesu Domine,

Dona eis requiem. Amen.

Phonically Speaking

Larcreeemohsa - dee-yes eela

Kwa - ree - sore - get ex favilla

You dee can dooss homo red oos

Oooh-ick Airgo - Par-chay day cos

Pea - yay - yay zoo Dominay

Donna Ayis (x ?) Rare kwee - em

Arr mehnnnn

(Which means)

Full of tears will be that day
When from the ashes shall arise
The guilty man to be judged;
Therefore spare him, O God,
Merciful Lord Jesus,
Grant them eternal rest. Amen.

	EverLasting Love
Tenor	Hearts gone astray, leaving hurt when they go I went away, just when you, you need me so
All	You won't regret, I come back beggin' you Won't you forget, welcome love we once knew
SAT(B)	Open up your eyes then you realize, (ohhh) here I stand with my everlasting love (ohhh) Need you by my side, girl to be my bride (ohhh) You'll never be denied, everlasting love (ohhh) From the very start, open up your heart (ohhh) Be a lasting part of everlasting love (ohhh)
All	This love to last forever This love to last forever
SAT(B)	Where life's river flows, (ohhh) no one really knows 'til someone's there to show (ohhh) the way to lasting love (ohhh) Like the sun that shines, endlessly it shines (ohhh) You always will be mine, it's eternal love (ohhh) When ever love went wrong, ours would still be strong (ohhh) We'll have our very own everlasting love (ohhh)
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Dry Bones - arr. Mark Hayes

Musical Theatre grandiosity

All: There was a man named Ezekiel who lived many years ago

He was carried away by the spirit of the Lord to a Valley full of old dry bones

S/A: Then Ezekiel was asked by the Lord Most High

“Can these bones ever be revived?”

T/B: After pondering this question, this is what he said - “Only the good Lord knows”

S/A: So the Lord commanded Ezekiel to speak unto these bones

All: Now hear the word of the Lord

Ezekiel cried ‘dem dry bones’ Ezekiel cried ‘dem dry bones’

Ezekiel cried ‘dem dry bones’ Now hear the word of the Lord

Ezekiel connected ‘dem dry bones’, Ezekiel connected ‘dem dry bones’,

Ezekiel connected ‘dem dry bones’, Now hear the word of the Lord

So the bones were connected by the power of the Lord

When Ezekiel spoke the command

But the bones and no breath, so the Lord God said

“Call the winds from across the lands”

Then Ezekiel called to the spirit in the winds to revive those bones on the ground

With a mighty sound those bones rose up - and began to walk around

S/A: Ezekiel connected ‘dem dry bones’, Ezekiel connected ‘dem dry bones’,

T/B: Ezekiel turned ‘dem dry bones’, ‘to live bones to live bones’,

S/A: Ezekiel connected ‘dem dry bones’, Now hear the word of the Lord

T/B: Ezekiel turned 'dem dry bones', Now hear the word of the Lord

All: The toe bone connected to the foot bone

The foot bone connected to the ankle bone

The ankle bone connected to the leg bone

The leg bone connecting to the Knee bone

The knee bone connected to the Thigh bone

The thigh bone connected to the back bone

The back bone connected to the shoulder bone

The shoulder bone connected to the neck bone

The neck bone connected to the head bone

Now hear the word of the Lord

A: Dem bones dem bones gonna walk around, Dem bones dem bones gonna walk around, Dem bones dem bones gonna walk around

B: Round and round and round and round, Dem bones gonna walk all over gods ground, Round and Round and Round and Round

S: Hallelujah - Glory Hallelujah, Hallelujah - Glory Hallelujah, Hallelujah - Glory Hallelujah,

All: Hear the word of the Lord

A/S: Dem bones dem bones gonna walk around, Dem bones dem bones gonna walk around, Dem bones dem bones gonna walk around

B: Walk around, walk, walk around, walk around, walk around, Walk around, walk, walk around,

All: Hear the word of the Lord, Now hear the word of the Lord
Dem bones, dem bones, dem dry bones!