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# I Lift-a My Hand

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for SATB Voices with Piano Accompaniment

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Gospel shuffle ♩ = 86, ♩ = ♩<sup>3</sup> ♩

Piano  
*mf*

4

Soprano/Alto  
*mf*

Tenor/Bass  
*mf*

7

Lift - a my hand, I lift - a my hand, \_\_\_\_\_

Lift - a my hand, I lift - a my hand, \_\_\_\_\_

Optional movement: Sway left beat one, sway right beat three beginning measure 7 through the end or as director dictates.

9

Solo 1 (Sop./Alto)

*mf*

3

lift - a my hand to show him my love. —

lift - a my hand to show him my love. —

11

lift - a my hand — to help my broth-er. — Oh, — I

Lift - a my hand, I lift - a my hand, —

Lift - a my hand, I lift - a my hand, —

13

lift - a my hand to show <sup>3</sup> my love. Oh,

lift - a my hand to show my love.

lift - a my hand to show my love.

15

*f* he has a need like an - y oth - er, oh,

*f* He has a need like an - y oth - er.

*f* He has a need like an - y oth - er.

17

won't you lend a help - ing hand\_\_ to - day? \_\_\_\_

Oh, whoa, whoa.

Oh, whoa, whoa.

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*mf*

Yes, I'll be the one\_\_ to lift - a my hand, I'll

*mf*

Yes, I'll be the one<sup>3</sup> to lift - a my hand, I'll

*mf*

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lift - a my hand. — I lift - a my hand to

lift - a my hand. — I lift - a my hand to

23 Solo 2 (Tenor/Bar.)

I — lend an ear to hear my

show him my love. — Lend - a my ear, I'll

show him my love. — Lend - a my ear, I'll

25

sis - ter. — Oh, — I lend — an ear to show her my

lend - a my ear, — lend - a my ear to

lend - a my ear, — lend - a my ear to

27

love. Oh, she has a — need, don't you re -

show my love. She has a need like

show my love. She has a need like

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sist her.\_\_\_\_ Oh, won't you lend your ear\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

an - y oth - er. Oh, whoa,

*mf*

an - y oth - er. Oh, whoa,

*mf*

an - y oth - er. Oh, whoa,

*mf*

day? \_\_\_\_\_

whoa. Well, the

*f*

whoa. Well, the

*f*

whoa. Well, the

*f*

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33

hurt and the pain — that this world of - fers is

hurt and the pain — that this world of - fers is

*f*

35

like a ra - gin' ri - ver flow - in' to the sea.

like a ra - gin' ri - ver flow - in' to the sea.

37

We have the pow'r — to change its cur - rent, but

We have the pow'r — to change its cur - rent, but

39

now the change is up to me! I will

now the change is up to me! I will

41

Solo 2

Oh, yes I will.

raise - a my voice to si-lence ha - tred. I will

raise - a my voice to si-lence ha - tred. I will

43

## Solo 1

I'll show my love.

raise my voice to show my love.

raise my voice to show my love.

45

*f* Let's take the time before it's was - ted. Oh,

*f* Let's take the time be - fore it's was - ted. Oh,

47

won't you raise your voice to - day, to -

won't you raise your voice to - day, to -

49

I'll raise it to day?

day? I will

day?

50

shine my light in-to the dark-ness, I will  
Shine it bright, shine it, in-to the dark-ness,

52

shine my light to show the way. To show the way.  
shine it to show the way.

Solo 2 *f*  
Solo 1

*mf*

54

Our love, our voice is might - y. \_\_\_\_

Our love is great, our voice is might - y. \_\_\_\_ Won't you

Our love is great, our voice is might - y. \_\_\_\_ Won't you

56

shine your light in - to the world to - day? \_\_\_\_

shine your light in - to the world to - day? \_\_\_\_

- 1. Bass enters
  - 2. Add Tenors
  - 3. Add Sopranos/Altos
  - 4. Soloists may ad lib
- Gradually get louder as each part enters.

58 *mp*

Shine it, let it shine, —

*mp*

Shine it, let it shine, —

*mp*

Shine it, shine it, in - to the dark - ness, —

*mp*

Shine a light, shine a light, in to the dark - ness,

60 *Repeat 3x*

shine it, let it shine. —

*Repeat 3x*

shine it, let it shine. —

*Repeat 3x*

shine it, shine it in - to the night. —

(omit last time) *Repeat 3x*

shine a light, shine a light. Oh won't you

Even 8th notes to the end

62 *f* Sop. div.

And this change will start with me

And this change will start with me

Even 8th notes to the end

*f*

65 Solo 2 *rit.*

Solo 1 starts with me right now.

*rit.*

right now, right now.

right now, right now.

*rit.*