

# Yonder Come Day

SATB, *divisi*, a cappella

Traditional Georgia Sea Islands Song

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**Rhythmic and spirited** (♩ = 138)

Soprano

Alto *mp*  
Yon - der,

Tenor *mp*  
Yon - der,

Baritone *mp*  
Yon - der come day, yon - der come day,

Bass *mp*  
Yon - der come day,

Keyboard *(for rehearsal only)*

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S

A

T

Bar

B

yon - der,

yon - der,

yon - der,

yon - der come day,

yon - der come day,

7

S

A

T

Bar

B

*mf* Yon - der come day,

*mf* yon - der,

*mf* yon - der come day,

*mf* yon - der come day, come day, yon - der,

*mf* yon - der come day, yon - der,

10

S *f*

A *f*  
yon - der come day, yon - der come day,

T *f*  
yon - der come day, yon - der come day,

Bar *f*  
yon - der, yon - der, yon-der.

B *f*  
yon - der, yon - der, yon-der.

13

S  
yon - der come day.

A  
yon - der come day.

T  
yon - der come day.

Bar

B

16

*mp*

Bar

Yon - der come day, yon - der.

*mp*

B

Yon - der come day, day is a break - in'.

18

Bar

Yon - der come day.

B

Yon - der come day, O my soul.

20

Bar

Yon - der come day, yon - der,

B

Yon - der come day, day is a break - in'. Sun is a ris - in'

23

*mp*

S  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

*mp*

A  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

*mp*

T  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

Bar  
in my soul.

B  
in my soul.

26

S  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul.

A  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul.

T  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul.

Bar  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul.

B  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul.

29

*f*

S Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

*f*

A Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

*f*

T Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

*f*

Bar Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

*f*

B Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

32

S O my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

A O my soul. — Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'.

T O my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

Bar O my soul. — Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'.

B O my soul. — Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'.

35

S *p*  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. Yon - der come day, day -

A *p*  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. Yon - der come day, day -

T *p*  
Sun is a ris - in' in, O

Bar *p*  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. Yon - der come day, day -

B *p*  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. Yon - der come day, day -

38

S  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, — O my soul. —

A  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, O my soul. —

T  
— break - in'. O

Bar  
— is a break - in', yon - der come day, — O my soul. —

B  
— is a break - in', yon - der come day, — O my soul. —

41

S Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'. Sun is a ris - in',

A Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Sun is a ris - in',

T yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

Bar Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Sun is a ris - in',

B Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Sun is a ris - in',

44

S my — soul,

A my — soul,

T my — soul,

Bar O my — soul. Yon - der come day, —

B O my. Yon - der come — day, yon -



46

S *mf*  
O my soul.

A *mf*  
O my soul.

T *mf*  
O my soul.

Bar *mf*  
yon - der come day, yon - der come day, -

B *mf*  
- der come day, yon - der come day, yon -

48

S *mp*  
Yon - der come day, -

A *mp*  
Yon - der, yon - der come day, day -

T *mp*  
Yon - der come day,

Bar *mp*  
yon - der, yon - der come day, day -

B *mp*  
- der come day,

50

S  
yon - der come day,—

A  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day.

T  
day is break - in'.

Bar  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day.

B  
— yon - der come day,

52

S  
yon - der come day.—

A  
O my soul. Yon - der come day, day—

T  
O my soul. Yon - der come day,—

Bar  
O my soul. Yon - der come day,—

B  
O my soul. Yon - der.

54

S *mf* Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. *mp*

A *mf* is a break - in'. Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. *mp*

T *mf* break - in'. Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. *mp*

Bar

B

57

S

A

T

Bar

B

Yon - der come day, yon - der come day,

Yon - der come day, yon - der come day,

59

S *f* Walk that

A *f* Walk that

T *f* Walk that

Bar *mf* yon - der come day, yon - der come day, *f*

B *mf* yon - der come day, yon - der come day. *f*

61

S road, walk that

A road, walk that

T road, walk that

Bar Trees are green and the air is sweet. The

B Trees are green and the air is sweet. The

63

S  
road, \_\_\_\_\_ walk that road.

A  
road, \_\_\_\_\_ walk that road.

T  
road, \_\_\_\_\_ walk that road.

Bar  
good earth is sing-in' un-der - neath my feet. I'll point my feet down that

B  
good earth is sing-in' un-der neath my feet. I'll point my feet down that

66

S  
Walk-in' that road, I'm feel-in' fine.

A  
Walk-in' that road, I'm feel-in' fine.

T  
Walk-in' that road, I'm feel-in' fine.

Bar  
free-dom line. Walk-in' that road, I'm feel-in' fine.

B  
free-dom line. Walk-in' that road, I'm feel-in' fine.

69

S Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

A Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day,

T Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

Bar Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

B Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

72

S O my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

A O my soul. — Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'.

T O my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

Bar O my soul. — Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'.

B O my soul. — Yon - der come day, day — is a break - in'.

75

S  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day —

A  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day —

T  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day —

Bar  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. — Yon - der come day, — day —

B  
Yon - der come day, — yon -

78

S  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

A  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day,

T  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

Bar  
— is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

B  
der, yon - der come day, —

80

S  
O my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

A  
O my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

T  
O my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

Bar  
O my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

B  
O my soul. — Day — is break - in'.

83

S  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day

A  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day

T  
Sun is a ris - in' — O

Bar  
Sun is a ris - in' in my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day

B  
Yon-der come day, — yon -

*mf*



86

S  
is a break - in.' Yon - der come day, —

A  
is a break - in.' Yon - der come day,

T  
yon - der come day, —

Bar  
is a break - in'. Yon - der come day, —

B  
der, yon - der come day, —

88

S  
O my soul. — Yon-der come day, — day — is a break - in'.

A  
O my soul. — Yon-der come day, day — is a break - in'.

T  
O my soul, — is a break - in'.

Bar  
O my soul. — Yon-der come day, day — is a break - in'.

B  
O my soul. — Day — is break - in'. —

91

S  
Sun is a ris - in', O my soul.

A  
Sun is a ris - in', O my soul.

T  
Sun is a ris - in', O my soul.

Bar  
Sun is a ris - in', O my soul.

B  
Sun is a ris - in', O my soul.

O my. Yon - der come day, yon -

94

S  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

A  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

T  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

Bar  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

B  
Sun is a ris - in'. Day is a break - in'.

der come day.

97

S  
Sun is a ris - in', O, *ff*

A  
Sun is a ris - in', O, *ff*

T  
Sun is a ris - in', O, *ff*

Bar  
Sun is a ris - in', O, *ff*

B  
Sun is a ris - in', O, *ff*

101

S  
O my soul. Yon - der come day.

A  
O my soul. Yon - der come day.

T  
O my. Sun is a ris - in'. Yon - der come day.

Bar  
O my soul. Yon - der come day.

B  
O my soul. Yon - der come day.