I Aint Gwine Study War No More

African-American Spiritual

1. Gwine to lay down my burden, Down by the river-side, Down by the river-side,
   Down by the river-side; Gwine to lay down my burden, Down by the river-side, To study
   war no more.

2. Gwine to lay down my sword an’ shiel’, Down by the river-side, Down by the river-side,
   Down by the river-side; Gwine to lay down my sword an’ shiel’, Down by the river-side, To study
   war no more.

3. Gwine to try on my long white robe, Down by the river-side, Down by the river-side,
   Down by the river-side; Gwine to try on my long white robe, Down by the river-side, To study
   war no more.

4. Gwine to try on my starry crown, Down by the river-side, Down by the river-side,
   Down by the river-side; Gwine to try on my starry crown, Down by the river-side, To study
   war no more.

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