

# (Something Inside) So Strong

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$\text{♩} = 80$  *mp* with determination.

Tenor(soprano 1) High-er Tall-er

Lead (soprano 2) The high - er you build your bar-ri ers \_ High-er

Baritone (alto 1) High-er Tall-er

Bass (alto 2) the tall - er I be - come \_ Tall-er

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T. A - way Will run

L. The fur - ther you take my rights a - way \_ A - way

B. A - way Will run

B. The fast - er I will run. \_ Will\_ run.

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T. — de - ny — to turn — a - way — a - way —

L. You can de-ny me, you can de-cide to turn your face — a-way. . — No mat - ter cause there's

B. de - ny — to turn — a - way — a - way —

B. — de - ny — to turn your face — a - way — a - way —

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T. some-thin' in-side so strong — I — know that I — can make it, though you're do-in' me wrong, so wrong.

L. some-thin' in-side so strong — I know that I — can make it, though you're do-in' me wrong, so wrong.

B. some-thin' in-side so strong — I — know that I — can make it though, do-in' me wrong, so wrong

B. some-thin' in-side so strong — I know that I — can make it though do-in' me wrong so wrong

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T. You thought that my pride was gone Oh no — oh no — side so

L. You thought that my pride was gone — There's some-thing in - side so strong —

B. You thought that my pride was gone — oh — no side so strong —

B. You thought that my pride was gone — Oh no — oh no side so

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T. strong \_ oh \_ some-thin' in - side so strong \_ so strong \_

L. Oh, \_ some-thin' in - side so strong \_ So strong \_

B. some-thin' in - side, oh some-thin' in - side so strong \_ so strong \_

B. strong Oh \_ some-thin' in - side so strong \_ so strong \_

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*mf* with defiance

T. Hey! \_ a way \_ lou - der I will

L. The more you re-fuse to hear my voice \_ a - way \_ lou - der I will

B. Hey! \_ a - way \_ lou - der I will

B. Hey! \_ The loud - er I will sing \_ will

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T. sing \_ a - way \_

L. You hide \_ be-hind walls of Je - ri \_ co a - way \_

B. sing \_ a - way \_

B. sing \_ Your lies \_ will come tum - b - ling \_

T. Your lies \_ come tum - b - ling in time \_ that's mine \_ My light \_ wil shine

L. Your lies \_ come tum - b - de-ny my place in time \_ you squan-der wealth that's mine My light \_ will shine

B. Your lies \_ come tum b - ling in time \_ that's mine \_ my light \_ will shine

B. tum - b - ling in time \_ that's mine \_ My light \_ will shine \_

*mf* *mf* *f*

T. ————— be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I —

L. ————— be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I

B. ————— be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I —

B. so bright - ly it will blind you \_ be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I

T. know that I \_ can make it, though you're do-in' me wrong, so wrong. You thought that my pride was gone

L. know that I \_ can make it, though you're do-in me wrong, so wrong. You thought that my pride was gone

B. know that I \_ can make it, though do-in' me wrong, so worng You thought that my pride was gone

B. know that I \_ can make it though do-in me wrong so wrong You thought that my pride was gone

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T. Oh no — oh no — side so strong — oh — some-thin' in-side so strong

L. There's some-thing in-side so strong — Oh, — some-thin' in-side so strong

B. oh no side so strong — some-thin' in-side, oh — some-thin' in-side so strong

B. Oh no — oh no side so strong Oh — some-thin' in-side so strong

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*mp with intensity*

T. so strong — Ooh — not good e-nough no

L. So strong — All of my peo-ple, when they in-sist we're just not good e-nough —

B. so strong — Ooh — not good e-nough no

B. so strong — Ooh — not good e-nough no

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*mp*

T. — bet - ter — A - - - way —

L. when we know bet - ter just look 'em in the eye and say, "we're gon-na do it a - ny way —

B. — bet - ter — A - - - way —

B. — A - - - way —

57 *cresc.*

T. a - - - way \_ we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_ we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_

L. *cresc.* we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_ we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_ we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_

B. *cresc.* we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_ we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_ we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_

B. a - - - way \_ a - - - way \_ we're gon-na do it a - ny-way \_

60 *f with pride.*

T. Be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I know that I \_ can make it

L. Be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I know that I \_ can make it,

B. Be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I know that I \_ can make it

B. Be-cause there's some-thin' in-side so strong I know that I \_ can make it

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T. though you're do-in' me wrong, so wrong You thought that my pride was gone Oh no! \_\_\_\_ Oh

L. though you're do-in' me wrong, so wrong. You thought that my pride was gone

B. though you're do-in; me wrong, so wrong You thought that my pride was gone Oh

B. though do-ing me wrong so wrong You thought that my pride was gone Oh no! \_\_\_\_ Oh

T. no \_ side so strong \_ oh \_ some-thin' in -

L. There's some-thing in - side so strong Oh,

B. no \_ so strong some-thin in side \_

B. no \_ side so strong Oh

T. side some-thin' in - side so strong Oh some-thin' in - side so strong. rit. //

L. some-thin' in - side so strong Oh some-thin' in - side so strong. rit. //

B. Oh, some-thin' in - side so strong Oh some-thin' in - side so strong. rit. //

B. Oh, some-thin' in - side so strong Oh some-thin' in - side so strong. rit. //