

House of the Rising Sun

Traditional English Ballad

Covers for Choirs

$\text{♩} = 84$

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass
Piano

There
There
There

$\text{♩} = 84$

Dm F G B \flat Dm A Dm A7

A

S
A
T
B
Pno.

is a house in New Or - leans They call the Ri - sing Sun And it's
is a house in New Or - leans They call the Ri - sing Sun And it's
is a house in New Or - leans They call the Ri - sing Sun And it's

A

Dm F G B \flat Dm F A

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9

S
A
T
B

been the ruin of ma-ny poor a boy And God I know I'm one

Pno.

Dm F G Bb Dm A Dm F

13

S
A
T
B

My moth - er was a

My moth - er was a

Pno.

G Bb Dm A Dm A7 Dm F

B

17

S
A
T
B

tai-lor Sewed my new blue jeans My fa - ther was a

tai-lor Sewed my new blue jeans My fa - ther was a

Pno.

G Bb Dm F A Dm F

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21

S
aah

A
aah

T
gam - blin' man

B
gam - blin' man

Down in New Orleans

Pno.
G B \flat Dm A Dm F G B \flat

25

S
Now the on - ly thing a gam - bler needs Is a suit - case and

A
Now the on - ly thing a gam - bler needs Is a suit - case and

T
Now the on - ly thing a gam - bler needs Is a suit - case and

B

Pno.
Dm A7 Dm F G B \flat Dm F

29

S
trunk And the on - ly time he's sa - tis - fied Is when he's on a

A
trunk And the on - ly time he's sa - tis - fied Is when he's on a

T
trunk And the on - ly time he's sa - tis - fied Is when he's on a

B
aah aah

Pno.
A Dm F G B \flat Dm A

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33

S
drunk

A
drunk

T
drunk

B

Pno.

37

S
Oh mot-her _____ tell your chil-dren _____ Not to

A
Not to

T
Oh mot-her _____ tell your chil-dren _____ Not to

B
Oh mot-her _____ tell your chil-dren _____ Not to

Pno.

41

S
do _____ what I _____ have done _____ Spend _____ your lives _____ in sin and _____ mi-se-ry In the

A
do _____ what I _____ have done _____ Spend _____ your lives _____ in sin and _____ mi-se-ry In the

T
do _____ what I _____ have done _____ Spend _____ your lives _____ in sin and _____ mi-se-ry In the

B
do _____ what I _____ have done _____ Spend _____ your lives _____ in sin and _____ mi-se-ry In the

Pno.

House of the Rising Sun

E

45

S House of the Ri-sing Sun Well, I got one foot on the

A House of the Ri-sing Sun Well, I got one foot on the

T 8 House of the Ri-sing Sun Well, I got one foot on the

B House of the Ri-sing Sun Well, I got one foot on the

Pno. Dm A Dm F A Dm F

E

49

S plat-form The oth - ter foot on the train I'm go - in' back to

A plat-form The oth - ter foot on the train I'm go - in' back to

T 8 plat-form The oth - ter foot on the train I'm go - in' back to

B plat-form The oth - ter foot on the train I'm go - in' back to

Pno. G Bb Dm F A A7 Dm F

53

S New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain Ooh aah

A New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain Ooh aah

T 8 New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain Well,

B New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain Well,

Pno. G Bb Dm A Dm F G Bb

House of the Rising Sun

F

S
A
T
B

there is a house in New Orleans They call the Rising Sun And it's
there is a house in New Orleans They call the Rising Sun And

Pno.

Dm F G Bb Dm F A

61

S
A
T
B

aah aah aah And it's
aah aah aah And it's
been the ruin of many a poor boy And God I know I'm one
been the ruin of many a poor boy And God I know I'm one

Pno.

Dm F G Bb Dm A Dm F

65

S
A
T
B

been the ruin of many a poor boy And God I know I'm one
been the ruin of many a poor boy And God I know I'm one
aah aah aah And
aah aah aah And

Pno.

Dm F G Bb Dm A Dm F

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69

S aah _____ And God _____ I know _____ I'm

A aah _____ And God _____ I know _____ I'm

T 8 God _____ I know _____ I'm one _____ And God _____ I know _____ I'm

B God _____ I know _____ I'm one _____ And God _____ I know _____ I'm

Pno.

Dm A Dm F Dm A A7

73

S one

A one

T 8 one

B one

Pno.

Gm Bb7/G# Dm/A Am7sus3 Dm Dm-sus7 Dm

rit.

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Piano

Chord progressions for the first system: Dm, F, G, B \flat , Dm, A.

Section A (Measures 4-19):

Chord progressions for Section A: Dm, A7, Dm, F, G, B \flat , Dm, F, A, Dm, F, G, B \flat , Dm, A, Dm, A7.

Section B (Measures 20-23):

Chord progressions for Section B: Dm, F, G, B \flat , Dm, F, A, Dm, F.

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24 C

G B \flat Dm A7 Dm F G B \flat

28

Dm F A Dm F G B \flat

32

Dm A Dm F A A7 A/F C Dm F

36

G B \flat Dm A Dm A7

D

Dm F G B \flat Dm F A

43

Dm F G B \flat Dm A Dm F

47 E

A Dm F G B \flat Dm F

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51

A A7 Dm F G B \flat Dm A

55

Dm F G B \flat Dm F G B \flat

59

Dm F A Dm F G B \flat

63

Dm A Dm F Dm F G B \flat

67

Dm A Dm F Dm A Dm F

71

Dm A A7 Gm B \flat 7/G \sharp

74

rit.

Dm/A Am7sus3 Dm Dm-sus7 Dm

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A

♩. = 84

3

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

There is a house in New Or-leans They call the Ri - sing

There is a house in New Or-leans They call the Ri - sing

There is a house in New Or-leans They call the Ri - sing

8

S

A

T

B

Sun And it's been the ruin of ma-ny poor a boy And God I know I'm one

Sun And it's been the ruin of ma-ny poor a boy And God I know I'm one

Sun And it's been the ruin of ma-ny poor a boy And God I know I'm one

B

13

2

S

A

T

B

My moth - er was a tai-lor Sewed my new blue jeans My

My moth - er was a tai-lor Sewed my new blue jeans My

House of the Rising Sun

20

S aah _____ aah _____

A _____ aah _____ aah _____

T 8 fa - ther was a gam - blin' man Down in New Or - leans

B 8 fa - ther was a gam - blin' man Down in New Or - leans

25

S Now the on - ly thing a gam-bler needs Is a suit - case and trunk And the

A Now the on - ly thing a gam-bler needs Is a suit - case and trunk And the

T 8 Now the on - ly thing a gam-bler needs Is a suit - case and trunk And the

B _____

C

30

S on - ly time he's sa-tis - fied Is when he's on a drunk

A on - ly time he's sa-tis - fied Is when he's on a drunk

T 8 on - ly time he's sa-tis - fied Is when he's on a drunk

B aah _____ aah _____

4
4
4
4

38

S Oh mot-her tell your chil-dren Not to do what I have

A _____ Not to do what I have

T 8 Oh mot-her tell your chil-dren Not to do what I have

B _____

D

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42

S done _____ Spend your lives in sin and mi-se-ry In the House of the Ri-sing _____

A done _____ Spend your lives in sin and mi-se-ry In the House of the Ri-sing _____

T done _____ Spend your lives in sin and mi-se-ry In the House of the Ri-sing _____

B done _____ Spend your lives in sin and mi-se-ry In the House of the Ri-sing _____

46

S Sun _____ Well, I got one foot on the plat-form _____ The oth - ter foot on the

A Sun _____ Well, I got one foot on the plat-form _____ The oth - ter foot on the

T Sun _____ Well, I got one foot on the plat-form _____ The oth - ter foot on the

B Sun _____ Well, I got one foot on the plat-form _____ The oth - ter foot on the

51

S train _____ I'm go - in' back to New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain Ooh

A train _____ I'm go - in' back to New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain Ooh

T train _____ I'm go - in' back to New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain

B train _____ I'm go - in' back to New Or - leans To wear that ball and chain

56

S aah _____

A aah _____

T Well, there is a house in New Or - leans They call the Ri - sing Sun _____ And it's

B Well, there is a house in New Or - leans They call the Ri - sing Sun _____ And

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61

S aah _____ aah _____ And it's

A _____ aah _____ aah _____ And it's

T 8 been the ruin of ma-ny a poor boy — And God I know I'm one

B been the ruin of ma-ny a poor boy — And God I know I'm one

65

S been the ruin of ma-ny a poor boy — And God I know I'm one

A been the ruin of ma-ny a poor boy — And God I know I'm one

T 8 aah _____ aah _____ And

B _____ aah _____ aah _____ And

69

S aah _____ And God I know I'm

A aah _____ And God I know I'm

T 8 God I know I'm one And God I know I'm

B God I know I'm one And God I know I'm

73 *rit.*

S one _____

A one _____

T 8 one _____

B one _____