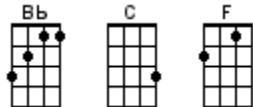


The Lion Sleeps Tonight

Solomon Linda 1939 (as recorded by The Tokens 1961)



INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /

[F] / [Bb] / [F] / [C] /
[F] / [Bb] / [F] / [C] /

GIRLS: < SOFTLY >

[F] We-dee-dee-dee, dee-[Bb]dee-dee-dee-dee
[F] We-um-um-a-way [C]
[F] We-dee-dee-dee, dee-[Bb]dee-dee-dee-dee
[F] We-um-um-a-way [C]

GUYS: < SOFTLY >

A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[Bb]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[C]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[Bb]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[C]wimoweh, a-wimoweh

EVERYONE: < SOFTLY >

[F] In the jungle, the [Bb] mighty jungle, the [F] lion sleeps to-[C]night
[F] In the jungle, the [Bb] quiet jungle, the [F] lion sleeps to-[C]night

GIRLS AND GUYS: < 2 parts sung together – LOUDER >

GIRLS:

[F] Weeeeeeee.....[Bb]ee-ooo-eee-ooo
[F] We-um-um-a-way[C]
[F] Weeeeeeee.....[Bb]ee-ooo-eee-ooo
[F] We-um-um-a-way.....[C]

GUYS:

A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[Bb]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
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A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[C]wimoweh, a-wimoweh

EVERYONE: < SOFTLY >

[F] Near the village, the [Bb] peaceful village, the [F] lion sleeps to-[C]night
[F] Near the village, the [Bb] quiet village, the [F] lion sleeps to-[C]night

GIRLS AND GUYS: < 2 parts sung together – LOUDER>
< JUNGLE sounds start on BRRReee >

GIRLS:

[F] Weeeeeeee..... [Bb] ee-ooo-eee-ooo
[F] We-um-um-a-way..... [C]
[F] BRRReeee..... [Bb] ee-ooo-eee-ooo
[F] We-um-um-a-way..... [C]

GUYS:

A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[Bb]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[C]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[Bb]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[C]wimoweh, a-wimoweh

GIRLS: < SOFTLY >

[F] Hush my darling don't [Bb] fear my darling, the [F] lion sleeps to-[C]night

EVERYONE: < SOFTLY >

[F] Hush my darling don't [Bb] fear my darling, the [F] lion sleeps to-[C]night

GIRLS AND GUYS: < 2 parts sung together – LOUD – FULL OUT >

GIRLS:

[F] Weeeeeeee..... [Bb] ee-ooo-eee-ooo
[F] We-um-um-a-way [C]
[F] Weeeeeeee..... [Bb] ee-ooo-eee-ooo
[F] We-um-um-a-way..... [C]

GUYS:

A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[Bb]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
A-[F]wimoweh, a-wimoweh, a-[C]wimoweh, a-wimoweh
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GIRLS: < SOFTLY >

[F]↓ We-dee-dee-dee, dee-[Bb]↓ dee-dee-dee-dee
[F]↓ We-um-um-a-way [C]↓
[F]↓ We-dee-dee-dee, dee-[Bb]↓ dee-dee-dee-dee
[F]↓ We-um-um-a-way [C]↓

