

*This version commissioned by James Allington and
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DIDN'T IT RAIN

Spiritual arranged by
Michael Neaum

Lively ♩ = 100

Soprano *f* Did-n't it rain

Alto *f* Did-n't it rain

Tenor *f* Did-n't it rain

Bass *f* Did-n't it rain

Piano *f*

6

S child-ren, did-n't it rain. Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,

A child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,

T child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,

B child-ren, did-n't it rain. Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,

Piano

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(Both times: FULL CHOIR)

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S O my Lord, did-n't it rain! Did-n't it rain

A O my Lord, did-n't it rain! Did-n't it rain

T O my Lord, did-n't it rain! Did-n't it rain

B O my Lord, did-n't it rain! Did-n't it rain



16

S child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,

A child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,

T child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,

B child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it, did-n't it, did-n't it,



21

S Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

A Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

T Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

B Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

f

26

1.

S *p* Noah was glad

A *p* Noah was glad

T 1. It rained for-ty days and for-ty nights with-out stop-ping, Noah was glad when the

B 1. It rained for-ty days and for-ty nights with-out stop-ping, Noah was glad when the

30

S Ooh_____ Ooh, at

A Ooh_____ Ooh,_____ at

T rain stopped drop-ping. The Lord called Noah and gave him a plan, Said build me an ark at

B rain stopped drop-ping. The Lord called Noah and gave him a plan build me an ark at

34

S my com-mand!_ Ah_____

A my com-mand Jus' lis-ten how it's rain-ing all day, all

T my com-mand!_

B my com-mand!_

pp *8va* simile staccato

38

S Ah Ah

A night. Jus' lis-ten how it's rain-ing all day, all

T

B

(8)

42

S 2. The Lord told Noah, take'em two by two, The

A night. 2. The Lord told Noah, take'em two by two, The

T Did-n't *f* two by *p*

B Did-n't *f* two by *p*

(8)

S
ox and the fox and the kan-ga-roo... The wic-ked man, if he don't re-pent, Just leave him there till

A
ox and the fox and the kan-ga-roo... The wic-ked man, if he don't re-pent, Just leave him there till

T
two Ooh... Ooh, till

B
two Ooh... Ooh, till

S
my judge-ment... Ah

A
r judge-ment Jus' lis-ten... how it's rain-ing... all day, all

T
my judge-ment...

B
my judge-ment...

pp *simile*

S Ah Ah

A night, Jus' lis-ten how it's rain-ing all day, all

T

B

(8)

S *mp* Did-n't it child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it,

A *mp* Did-n't it rain child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it,

T *mp* Did-n't it rain child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it,

B *mp* Did-n't it rain child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it,

(8)

mf

cresc.

S did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

A did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

T did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

B did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

A FEW SO

S did-n't it rain, Oh, my Lord, did-n't it

S *f* did-n't it rain, child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it

A did-n't it rain, child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it

T *f* Did-n't it rain, child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it

B *f* Did-n't it rain, child-ren, did-n't it rain, Oh my Lord, did-n't it

S did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

S did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

A did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

T did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

B did-n't it, did-n't it, Oh my Lord, did-n't it rain!

allargando *ff* tempo

S did-n't it rain! *ff* *gliss.* *mp*

S did-n't it rain! *ff* *gliss.* *mp* Pa dom pom.

A did-n't it rain! *ff* *gliss.* *mp* Pa dom pom.

T did-n't it rain! *ff* *gliss.* *mp* Pa dom pom.

B did-n't it rain! *ff* *gliss.* *mp* Pa dom pom.

8va

ff *mp*

Duration: 2'15"