

As One Community Choir – Summer 24

1. BEAUTIFUL WORLD – Michael Bolton

You carry the weight
Much better than I do
Day after day
Waiting for good news
All of our needs
Our hopes and our dreams
Are waiting on an open door
I see a spark of light in the dark
We'll be stronger than before

Pre Chorus
We gotta **love like we've never been hurt**
We gotta **rise like we've never been burned**
And after **all of the lessons we've learned**
We're gonna **make this a beautiful world**

Chorus
A beautiful world, oh, oh
Gonna make this a beautiful world, **oh, oh**
A beautiful world

Verse 2 - Solo
I'll carry the weight
No mountain is too high
It's never too late
There's always a sunrise

Choir
All of our needs
Our hopes and our dreams
Are waiting on an open door
I see a spark of light in the dark
We'll be wiser than before

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Bridge
**When we come together
Everything's gonna be much better
When we come together**

Outro
When we come together
We're gonna make this a beautiful world

2. THE MUSIC IN THE AIR – As One

Verse 1
I haven't got it all together, but I'm
working on myself
I'm focused on making me better, not on
anyone else.
I've come such a long way from how I
used to be
The music in the atmosphere has been
my therapy

Chorus
**I'm dancing to music in the air
I'm dancing to music I can hear
To melodies in the atmosphere
I'm dancing to music everywhere**

**Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh
Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh**

Verse 2
Music has been my healer, my angel, my
friend
The healing power of her wings has
caused me to ascend
To a place that doesn't criticise or make
me feel small
I am now empowered, I'm safe I'm
standing tall

Ending

Dancing to the music

I'm dancing to the music

I'm dancing to the music

I'm dancing to the music

3. HIGHS & LOWS – Emele Sande

Verse 1

We don't have a plan

Just pack your bags and run as fast as we
can

We hold the future in the palm of our
hands

I know you hear me, but do you
understand

Yeah, we've been making a scene
I'll keep on singing while you shake
tambourine

Whether we're broke, whether we're
living the dream

I see you laughing but you know what I
mean

Chorus

I'm talking about the **highs**

I'm talking about the **lows**

I'm sticking by your **side**

No way I'm letting **go**

I'm talking about forever, baby I'm giving
you forever, baby, it's yours

I'm talking about the **highs**

I'm talking about the **lows**

Verse 2

Solo: When we're gray and we're old

Choir: **ooo, ooo, ooo**

Solo: And we run out of all the silver and
gold

Choir: **ooo, ooo, ooo**

Solo: Will you still wanna be my someone

to hold

Choir: **ooo, ooo, ooo**

See, I would tell you but you already
know

Choir: **ooo, ooo, ooo**

Bridge

Solo: I'm certain that there's no other

Choir: **ooo, ooo, ooh**

Solo: It's banging in my heart like thunder

Choir: **ooo, ooo, ooo**

Solo: I know that I was made to love you

Choir: Ooh, ooh, No way I'm letting go

Breakdown

Solo: I'll be there for the highs Choir:

Highs

Solo: I'll be there through the lows

Choir: **Lows**

Solo: I'm staying by your side Choir: **Side**

Solo: No way I'm letting go Choir: **Go**

4. ONE DAY - Koollulam

One

One Day

One Day, One Day, One Day

One Day

Verse 1

(Tenors)

Sometimes I lay under the moon

And thank God I'm breathin'

Then I pray, "Don't take me soon

'Cause I am here for a reason."

(Sops & Alts)

Sometimes in my tears I drown

But I never let it get me down

(Tenor)

So when negativity surrounds

(All)

I know some day it'll all turn around

because

Chorus

All my life I've been waitin' for

I've been prayin' for

For the people to say

That we don't wanna fight no more

There'll be no more war

And our children will play

One day, one day, one day, One Day!

Verse 2

(Tenors)

Sometimes I lay under the moon

(Sops & Alts)

And thank God I'm breathin'

(Tenors)

Then I pray, "Don't take me soon

(All)

'Cause I am here for a reason."

(All)

Sometimes in my tears I drown

But I never let it get me down

So when negativity surrounds

(All)

I know some day it'll all turn around

because

Bridge

One Day this all will change

Treat people the same

Stop with the violence

Down with the hate

One day we'll all the free

And proud to be

Under the same sun

Singing songs of freedom

STOP!!

One Day...(quiet into loud)

Key change

5. BE LIKE HIM -

Kwaze kwabonakala Thina sofana naye

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Thina sofana naye Thina sofana naye

Thina sofana naye Thina sofana naye

When He comes I shall be like Him See

His face, I shall be like Him Oh-oh, oh-oh

Oh-oh-oh-oh-oh-oh-oh, like Him

6. IT'S ALL RIGHT – Jon Baptiste

Unison

Say it's all right

Say it's all right

It's all right, have a good time

'Cause it's all right, woah, it's all right

Verse 2

Alt 1: Now listen to the beat

Others: **Listen to the beat**

Alt 1: And kinda pat your feet

Others: **Kinda pat your feet**

Alt 1: You've got soul and everybody knows

Others: **Ooo, ooo, ooo**

Alt 1: That it's all right, woah, it's all right

Others: **It's all right, woah it's all right**

Bridge

When you wake up early in the mornin'

Feelin' sad like some of us do

Just hum a little soul

Make life your goal

And surely something's gotta come to you

Verse 3

Say it's all right

Say it's all right

Alt 1: It's all right, have a good time

Others: **Ooo, ooo, ooo**

Alt 1: 'Cause it's all right, woah, it's all right

Others: **It's all right, woah it's all right**

Verse 4

Everybody clap your hands

Give yourself a chance

Alt 1: You got soul and everybody knows

Others: **Ooo, ooo, ooo**

Alt 1: that it's alright, woah, it's all right

Others: **It's all right, woah it's all right**

Ending:

'Cause you've got soul

'Cause you've got soul

'Cause you've got soul, everybody knows, that it's all right

Parts: **It's all right!**

7. STAND BY ME – Ben E King

Verse 1

When the night has come

And the land is dark

And the moon is the only light we'll see

No, I won't be afraid

Oh, I won't be afraid

Just as long as you stand

Stand by me

Chorus

So darlin', darlin', **stand by me**

Stand by me

Oh, Oh

Stand by me

Verse 2 - Choir

Sops:

If the sky that we look upon should tumble and fall

Or the mountain should crumble to the sea

Alts/Tenors:

I won't cry, I won't cry

No, I won't shed a tear

Just as long as you stand

Stand by me