

AS I WENT DOWN TO THE RIVER TO PRAY

Traditional
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SSA:

As I went down to the riv-er to pray, Stud-y-in' a-bout that good ol' way and

who shall wear the robe and crown; Lord, show me the way.

Oh, sis-ters, let's go down, come on down, come on down, Come, you sis-ters, bro-thers, bro-thers,

let's go down, down to the riv-er to pray. 2. As

TBB:

3. As I went down to the riv-er to pray, stu-dy-in' a-bout that good ol' way and

who shall wear the robe and crown; Lord, show me the way.

Oh, fa-thers, let's go down, come on down, come on down, Come. you fa-thers,

let's go down, down to the riv-er to pray. SA: 4. As
TB:

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who shall wear the robe and crown; Lord, show me the way.

Oh, moth-ers, let's go down, come on down, come on down, Come, you moth-ers, sin-ners,
(5) sin-ners

let's go down, down to the riv-er to pray. pray. (last time)

1. treble trio
2. SSA choir
3. TBB choir
4. SATB
5. 2 or 3 sop.
on tenor line
8va.
add Bass I
to melody

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