

12. Let Us Go Up

Laman, Sam, Lemuel, Nephi, and Angel

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1 Nephi 3-4

[The lights come up on the wilderness outside Jerusalem. The brothers are hiding in a cave.]

Misterioso ♩ = 84

mp

Sam



Piano



Lam.



Sam



Nep.



Pno.



Lam.



Nep.



Pno.



13 **Faster** ♩ = 100

Lam. *mf* Good-ly par-ents that seek to des-troy the peace of my land!

Lem. No! Good-ly par-ents that pres-sure us to a-ban-don our home!

Pno. *sfz mp*

17 **f** [Laman and Lemuel pick up sticks and begin beating Sam and Nephi after "doom".]

Lam. *f* Good-ly Sam and Ne-phi, blind-ly fol-low-ing Fa-ther, And so a rod will teach you! Don't

Lem. *f*

Pno. *f*

20 **f**

Lam. lead our fam-'ly down to doom! *f* Dis-as-ter! De-so-la-tion and

Lem. Des-truc-tion! De-ceil! De-so-la-tion and

Pno. *f*

Slower ♩ = 84 [An angel appears.]

Pno.

23

sfz *p*

8^{va}

Ang.

25 *mp*

8 Why do ye smite _____ your youn - ger

Pno.

25

Ang.

27

8 bro - ther with a rod? _____ The

Pno.

27

Ang.

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8 Lord hath cho - sen him to be a

Pno.

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31
Ang. ru - ler o - ver you, And

Pno.

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Ang. this be - cause of your in - i - qui -

Pno.

35 *rit.* $\text{♩} = 44$
Ang. ties. Ye shall go up to Je-ru-sa-lem a - gain, And the

Pno.

40 *p* [The angel exits.]
Ang. Lord will de - li - ver La - ban in - to your hands.

Pno.

46 *Faster* ♩ = 100

Lam. *f* How, *f* how, how is it pos-si-ble that the Lord will de-li-ver, That the Lord will de-li-ver La-ban in-to our hands, how?

Lem. How, how, how is it pos-si-ble that the Lord will de-li-ver, That the Lord will de-li-ver La-ban in-to our hands? How?

Pno. *f* *mp*

Lam. *f* Be-hold, he is a migh-ty man, Yea, ev-en he can slay fif-ty; then why not us? I must ad-

Lem. Be-hold, he is a migh-ty man, And he can com-mand fif-ty, Then why not us?

Pno. *f* *mp*

Lam. mit, my youn-ger bro-ther, I made er-rors from the start. When we met Ish-mael's daugh-ters, it was wise to all de-part, But I ask

Pno. *f*

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Lam. how is it pos-si-ble for a band of ___ bro thersTo re-trieve the plates from La - ban: How is it pos-si-ble?

Lem. How is it pos-si-ble for a band of ___ bro-thersTo re-trieve the plates from La - ban: How is it pos-si-ble?

Nep. *mf* Let us go

Pno.

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Nep. up a-gain un-to Je - ru - sa - lem. Let us be faith-ful in keep-ing all the Lord's com - mands.Let us go

Pno. *p*

67

Nep. up; He is migh-ti-er than all the earthThen why not La-ban and his fif - ty and his tens of thou-sands. Let us go

Pno.

71 *f*

Nep. *f*

up; let us be strong like un-to Mo-ses. This is our Red Sea, and I know it shall part.

Pno. *mf*

75

Nep.

Where - fore can ye doubt? The Lord is a - ble to de - li - ver us. Let us go

Pno.

78 *mp*

Lam. *mp*

How is it pos-si-ble? How is it pos-si-ble? How is it pos - si - ble?

Sam *mp*

It is pos - si - ble. — It is pos-si ble! — Our fa-ther's com-mand&let us go

Lem. *mp*

How is it pos-si-ble? How is it pos-si-ble? How is it pos - si - ble?

Nep. *f*

up. — Let us go up! — O let us o - bey — Our fa-ther's com-mandsI will

Pno. *f*

82 *f*

Lam.  How, how is it pos-si-ble That the Lord will de-li-ver, That the Lord will de - li - ver La-ban In-to our hands? How?

Sam  up a-gain un - to Je - ru - sa - lem. Let us be faith-ful in keep-ing all the Lord's com - mands. Let us go

Lem.  How, how is it pos-si-ble That the Lord will de-li-ver, That the Lord will de - li - ver La-ban In-to our hands? How?

Nep.  go and do what the Lord com - mands. For I

Pno. 

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Lam.  Be-hold, he is a migh-ty man, Yea, ev-en he can slay fif - ty; then why not us? I must ad-

Sam  up; He is migh-ti - er than all the earth, then why not La-ban and his fif - ty and his tens of thousands. Let us go

Lem.  Be-hold, he is a migh-ty man, And he can command fif - ty Then why not us?

Nep.  know the Lord giv - eth no com - mands Save he

Pno. 

90

Lam.  mit, my youn-ger bro-ther, I made er - rors from the start, When we met Ish-mael's daugh-ters, it was wise to all de - part. But I ask

Sam  up. Let us be strong like un - to Mo-ses. This is our Red Sea, and I know it shall part

Lem.  How is it pos - si - ble? Is it pos - si - ble?

Nep.  shall pre - pare a way for — them There -

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Lam.  how is it pos-si-ble? Oh, how can we go up? _____

Sam  Where - fore can ye doubt? Let us go up! _____

Lem.  How, is it pos-si-ble, Oh, how can we go up? _____

Nep.  fore, let us go up! _____

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98 [As the music subsides, Laman appears deep in thought.] *mf rit.*

Sam. Where - fore can ye doubt?

Lem. *mf* Per - haps it is pos - si - ble. *mf*

Nep. Where - fore can ye doubt?

98 *mf*

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102 *mp a tempo rit.* [The brothers exit.]

Lam. Let us go up.

102 *mp*

Pno.

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