

for the Madsen children and friends

Great Plains States

A Geography Learning Song for Voice and Piano

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Cheerfully ♩ = 144 Swing! ♩ = ♩³

The musical score is written for voice and piano in 4/4 time, featuring a key signature of two flats (Bb and Eb). It consists of three systems of music. The first system (measures 1-5) includes lyrics: "North Da-ko-ta, South Da-ko-ta, Ne-bras-ka, Kan-sas, Ok-la-ho-ma, Tex-as, Lou-is-i-a-na,". The second system (measures 6-10) includes lyrics: "Ark-an-sas, Miss-our-i, I-o-wa, Min-ne-so-ta, these are the states of the Great Plains, and the". The third system (measures 11-14) includes lyrics: "Miss-iss-ipi Ri-ver runs through its veins." The piano accompaniment features chords in the left hand and a melodic line in the right hand. Chord changes are indicated by Cm and Gm above the staff.

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I would love to hear from you! I thoroughly enjoy learning who is performing my music and happy to meet up to share insights or discuss arranging an alternate version of the piece. Contact me at CJMadsenMusic.com.