

Freedom Is a Voice

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Light, straight-eighth
world music vibe

♩ = 84

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

p chikachi ka chakachikachikachi ka__kachika *simile...*

joh kookay m me nah wah oh_ koo paypah kah ng joh

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

p

dm k dm dm kdm

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— koo kay koo_ me nah koo_ pay m pah koo_ me ng ah co

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

dm k dm dm k dm

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Steady crescendo till end

55 **G** *band in (not piano)*

SA *pp* **F** **F/A**

— day ya sahm bay — ya lay beh nay ah bay oh ya a

TB

57 **Bbadd9** **F/A** **Gmi7** **Bb/C**

weh nay ah bay — oh ya lay weh nay ah beh — yoh la co

59 *add piano* **F** **F/A**

— day ya sahm bay — ya lay a beh nay ah bay oh ya a

61 **Bbadd9** **F/A** **Gmi7** **Bb/C** *sops* free

co day ya sahm bay — ya lay weh nay ah bay oh ya free

free

63 **H** *p* F F/A Bbadd9 F/A

S
A
TB

- dom is a voice free-dom is a song free-dom is the spir - it of the peo
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66 Gmi7 Bb/C F F/A

- ple who were strong free-dom is a ci - ty free - dom is a land free
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69 Bbadd9 F/A Gmi7 Bb/C

- dom is a cour - age to take a - noth - er hand free
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71 **I** *mp* F F/E^b Dmi F/C B^badd⁹ F/A

S *mp* dom is a voice free dom is a song free dom is the spir-it of the peo

A *mp* dom is a voice free dom is a song free dom is the spir-it of the peo

T *mp* dom is a voice free dom is a song free dom is the spir-it of the peo

B *mp* - dom is a voice free dom is a song free dom is the spir-it of the peo

a voice a song the spir-it

74 Gmi⁷ G⁷ B^b/C Dmi Cmi⁷ F⁷ B^bma⁹ F/A Dmi⁷

- ple who were strong free - dom is a ci - ty free-dom is a land free

- ple who were strong free - dom is a ci - ty free-dom is a land free

- ple who were strong free - dom is a ci - ty free-dom is a land free

peo - ple who were strong a ci - ty a land

77 Gmi⁷ F/A B^badd⁹ B^b/C

co_

- dom is a cour-age to take a - noth - er hand free

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free - dom is a cour - age free - dom