

People Get Ready

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$\text{♩} = 64$ *mf* Bb/D Eb Bb Cm^7 Ab^6 Eb/G Ab

Choir

Get rea - dy! get rea - dy, now peo-ple get rea - dy, get

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5 Fm/Bb Eb Fm/Bb Eb Ab/Bb *p* Eb Cm^7 Eb Cm^7

Choir

rea- dy... Get rea - dy... Ooh... Ooh...

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9 Eb Cm^7 Ab Eb Eb Cm^7

Choir

mp

V. 1 Peo-ple get rea - dy there's a train a com - ing You don't need no bag-gage, you just

V. 2 Peo-ple get rea dy for the train to Jor - dan... Pick-ing up passen gers_ from

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12 Ab Eb *mf* Cm^7 Ab Eb

Choir

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coast to coast... Faith is key, O - pen the doors and board_ them.

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15 Cm Fm⁷ 1. Ab/Bb Eb 2. Ab/Bb Eb

Choir

Don't need no tic-ket, You just thank the Lord... loved the most. Get
There's room for all_ among those

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18 Bb/D Eb Bb Cm⁷ Ab⁶ Eb/G Ab Fm/Bb Eb 1.

Choir

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22 2. Bb/C C *f* F Dm⁷ Bb C/F F

Choir

rea - dy...Get rea - dy *V.3* There ain't no room for the hope-less sin - ner who would
rea - dy...Get rea - dy *f* *V.3* There ain't no room for the hope-less sin - ner who would

25 F Dm⁷ Bb F F Dm⁷

Choir

hurt all man kind... just to save his own... Have pi - ty on those whose
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28 B \flat C/F F Dm 7 Gm 7 B \flat /C F

Choir chan-ces are thin- ner, 'cause there's no hi-ding place_ from the king-dom's throne. So

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31 F Dm 7 B \flat F F Dm 7

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34 B \flat F Dm 7 B \flat F

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37 Dm Gm 7 B \flat /C F *mp* C/E F

Choir Don't need no tic ket,_ You just thank the Lord._ Get rea - dy get

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40 C Dm 7 B \flat 6 F/A 1. Gm/C F 2. Gm/C F

Choir rea - dy. now peo-ple get rea - dy, get rea dy._ Get rea dy.

rea - dy. now peo-ple get rea - dy, get rea dy._ Get rea dy.