

# Bring Me Little Water, Silvy

Huddy LedBetter (Leadbelly)  
arr. Moira Smiley

**All** *mp*

**8** *mp*

**A**

**15**

**B** *mf*

**22**

**C** *mp*

The musical score consists of four systems of music. System 1 (measures 1-7) shows the bass line (All) with 'Mmm' lyrics and the vocal parts (S1, S2, A/T) with 'Bring me lit-tle wa - ter Sil - vy,' lyrics. System 2 (measures 8-14) shows the bass line with rests and the vocal parts with the same lyrics. System 3 (measures 15-21) is labeled 'A' and shows the vocal parts singing 'Ev' ry lit-tle once in a while' followed by the chorus. System 4 (measures 22-28) is labeled 'B' and shows the vocal parts singing 'Sil - vy,' followed by the chorus. System 5 (measures 29-35) is labeled 'C' and shows the vocal parts singing 'wa - ter fast as I can.' followed by the chorus.

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**D** *f*

S1 Bring me lit-tle wa - ter Sil - vy, Ev' ry lit-tle once in a while\_ Can't you see me com-in'\_ can't you see me now

S2 Bring me lit-tle wa - ter Sil - vy, Ev' ry lit-tle once in a while\_ Can't you see me com-in'\_ can't you see me now

A/T Bring me lit-tle wa - ter Sil - vy, Ev' ry lit-tle once in a while\_ Can't you see me com-in'\_ can't you see me now

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**E** *mp*

S1 I will bring a lit-tle wa - ter ev' ry lit-tle once in a while\_ Mmm

S2 I will bring a lit-tle wa - ter ev' ry lit-tle once in a while\_ Mmm

A/T I will bring a lit-tle wa - ter ev' ry lit-tle once in a while\_ Mmm

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*mf*

S1 Mmm

S2 Mmm

A/T Mmm

**F** *mp*

*p*

*rit.* *mf*

S1 Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_ Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_ Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_

S2 Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_ Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_ Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_

A/T Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_ Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_ Ev'-ry lit - tle once in a while\_