



Hard Times Come Again No More

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SSATTBB
a cappella

Hard Times Come Again No More

*In honour of those who lost their lives in the LGBT Pulse Orlando massacre
and for every victim of a hate crime*

Stephen Foster, arr. Jon Smith
as performed by The Swingles

♩ = 67

solo

hans

Bass 1



Let us pause in life's plea-sures and count our ma-ny tears, while we

nico

T2



there's a song that will lin - ger for -

hans

B1



all sup sor - row with the poor there's a song that will lin - ger for -

nico

T2



e - ver in our ears, Oh hard times come a - gain no more

hans

B1



e - ver in our ears, Oh hard times come a - gain no more It's the

jack

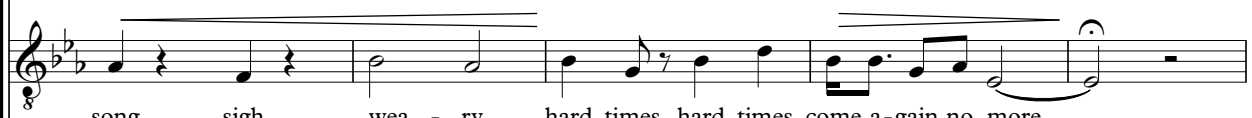
T1



song, sigh wea - ry hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

nico/pau

T2



song, sigh wea - ry hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

hans,

B1



song, the sigh of the wea - ry, hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

Michiel

B2



wea - ry hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

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S1 seek mirth and beau - ty and mu sic light and gay, There are frail forms fain - ting at the

S2 seek mirth and beau - ty and mu sic light and gay, There are frail forms, oh

A *mf* oo frail forms,

T1 *mf* mu sic light and gay, There are frail forms, frail forms,

T2 *mf* oo oh

B1 *mf* oo oh

B2 *mf* VP: add hi-hat backbeats dm dm

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S1 door; Though their voi - ces are si - lent their pleading looks will say, "Oh!___

S2 frail forms voi - ces are si - lent their pleading looks will say, "Oh!___

A frail forms oo oh

T1 frail forms oo(oh)

T2 frail forms oo oh

B1 frail forms oo oh

B2 frail forms d dm

E

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S1 Hard times come a-gain no more." oh

S2 hard times oh

A hard times dn dn oh

T1 *mp* hard times come a - gain no dn dn wea - ry,

T2 *mp* hard times come a - gain It's the song, the sigh of the wea - ry,

B1 *mp* hard times oh dn dn wea - ry

B2 *mp* hard times mm mm

VP out

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S1 oh hard times come a - gain no more

S2 oh come a - gain no more *freely* Ma - ny

A oh come a - gain no more Ma - ny

T1 hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

T2 hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

B1 hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

B2 hard times, hard times, come a - gain no more

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S1

S2

A

T1

T2

B1

B2

There's a pale droo - ping mai - den who

mm

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S1

S2

A

T1

T2

B1

B2

jannie solo

ah

sigh

hah

sigh

hah

sigh

hah

toils her life a- way. with a worn heart whose bet - ter days are o'er

sigh

hah

and though her

8

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H

S1

S2

A

T1

T2

B1

B2

plien/eshter

akke/annem

laila sop1

Oh... hard times come a-gain no more

mm

oo

mm

oo

'Tis a

mm

oo

mm

oo

voice would be mer-ry... tis sigh-ing all the day

oo

I

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mf

laila/jannie

plien/eshtee

akke/annem

jannie solo

oh

'tis a wail

oh

oh

'tis a wail

oh

oh

'tis a wail

oh

sigh that is waf ted a-cross the trou bled wave, 'tis a wail that is heard u-pon the shore,

oh

'tis a wail

oh

dm dm

d dm dm

dm dm

d dm

'tis a wail

oh

dm dm

d dm dm

dm dm

VP: add snare backbeats

58

S1 jannie **f** **J** **rit.** 9
oh_ hard times come a-gain no more_ it's the

S2 esther/laila *bells* **f**
— dohm dohm dohm oh_ hard times come a-gain no more_ it's the

A plien alt **f**
dirge that is mur-mured a-round the low-ly grave oh_ hard times come a-gain no more_ it's the

T1 *bells* **f**
dohm dohm dohm oh_ hard times come a-gain no more_ it's the

T2 **f**
oh oh_ hard times come a-gain no more_ it's the

B1 **f**
— dm dm d dm oh_ hard times come a-gain no more_ it's the

B2 **f** **VP out**
oh_ hard times come a-gain no more_ it's the

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♩ = 67

S1 jannie **ff** **rit.** **mp**
song the sigh of the wea - ry hard times, hard times come a - gain no more_

S2 plien/ eshter **ff** **mp**
song the sigh of the wea - ry hard times, hard times come a - gain no more_

A akke/annem **ff** **mp**
song the sigh of the wea - ry hard times, hard times come a - gain no no_

T1 **ff** **mp**
song the sigh of the wea - ry hard times, hard times come a - gain no more

T2 **ff** **mp**
song the sigh of the wea - ry hard times, hard times come a - gain no no

B1 **ff**
song the sigh of the wea - ry hard times, hard times come a - gain no

B2 **ff** **mp**
song sigh wea - ry hard times, hard times come a - gain no more_

66 $\text{♩} = 67$

S1

S2 *esther/plien*

A *Mm*

T1 *more*
more Ma-ny days you have lin gered a - round my cab-in door, Oh!__

T2 *more*
more Ma-ny days you have lin gered a - round my cab-in door, Oh!__

B1 *mp*
no more *Mm*

B2 *Mm*

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S1

S2

A

T1 Hard times come a - gain no more. *nico evt b1 afsluiting mocht hans het te hoog vinden*

T2 Hard times come a - gain no more.

B1 Hard times come a - gain no more.

B2