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Carnegie Hall, May 5, 2019

Dr. Russell Robinson, Conductor

# Siyahamba

Three-part Mixed, *a cappella* with Djembe or Conga Drums\*

Traditional Zulu Song

Arranged by **Russell Robinson**

Freely ♩ = ca. 69

*mf*

I  
Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, Si - ya -

II  
Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, Si - ya -

III

I  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, Si - ya -

II  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, Si - ya -

III

Si - ya -

I  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, Si - ya -

II  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, Si - ya -

III  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, Si - ya -

Duration: approx. 2:30

\*Drum part is available as a free download. Visit [www.lorenz.com](http://www.lorenz.com), search for "15/3665H", and click on the item image.

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7 *rit.* **Quicker** ♩ = 120

I  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, —

II  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, —

III  
hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen - khos, —

Djembe or Conga Drums

*f*

9 *mf*

I  
Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka

II  
Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka

III  
Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka

*mf*

11

I  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos, —

II  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos, —

III  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos, —

13

I  
— Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka

II  
— Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka

III  
— Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka

15

I  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos.—

II  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen, nyen -

III  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen, nyen -

17

I  
*f* Si - ya - ham - ba, —

II  
*f* ni kwen - khos. — *f* Si - ya - ham - ba, ham - ba, Si - ya -

III  
ni kwen - khos. — Si - ya - ham - ba, ham - ba, Si - ya -

19

I  
oo, — Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos. —

II  
ham-ba, ham-ba, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen, nyen -

III  
ham-ba, ham-ba, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen, nyen -

21

I  
— Si - ya - ham - ba, —

II  
ni kwen - khos. — Si - ya - ham - ba, ham - ba, Si - ya -

III  
ni kwen - khos. — Si - ya - ham - ba, ham - ba, Si - ya -

23

I  
oo, — Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos. —

II  
ham-ba, ham-ba, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos. —

III  
ham-ba, ham-ba, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos. —

25

I  
— We are march - ing in the

II  
— We are march - ing in the

III  
— We are march - ing in the

27

I  
light of God, we are march-ing in the light of God. —

II  
light of God, we are march-ing in the light of God. —

III  
light of God, we are march-ing in the light of God. —

29

I  
— We are march - ing in the

II  
— We are march - ing in the

III  
— We are march - ing in the

31

I light of God, we are march-ing in the light of God.—

II light of God, we are march-ing in the light of, the

III light of God, we are march-ing in the light of, the

33 *mp*

I — We are march-ing,—

II light of God.— We are march-ing, march-ing, we are

III light of God.— We are march-ing, march-ing, we are

35

I oo,— we are march-ing in the light of God.—

II march-ing, march-ing, we are march-ing in the light of, the

III march-ing, march-ing, we are march-ing in the light of, the

37 *mf*

I — We are march-ing, —

II *mf*  
light of God. — We are march-ing, march-ing, we are

III *mf*  
light of God. — We are march-ing, march-ing, we are

*mf*

39

I oo, — we are march-ing in the light of God. —

II march-ing, march-ing, we are march-ing in the light of God. —

III march-ing, march-ing, we are march-ing in the light of God. —

*Descant (solo or a small group)*

41

*f*

Si - ya - ham - ba, —

I *f*

Si - ya - hamb' — e ku - ka

II *f*

Si - ya - hamb' — e ku - ka

III *f*

Si - ya - hamb' — e ku - ka

*f*

43

Si - ya - ham - ba, —

I

nyen-ni kwen-khos. Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos, —

II

nyen-ni kwen-khos. Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos, —

III

nyen-ni kwen-khos. Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos, —



45

Si - ya - ham - ba, \_\_\_\_\_

I  
Si - ya - hamb' \_\_\_\_\_ e ku - ka

II  
Si - ya - hamb' \_\_\_\_\_ e ku - ka

III  
Si - ya - hamb' \_\_\_\_\_ e ku - ka

47

Si - ya - ham - ba. \_\_\_\_\_

I  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen-khos, \_\_\_\_\_

II  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen, nyen -

III  
nyen-ni kwen-khos, Si - ya - hamb' e ku - ka nyen - ni kwen, nyen -