

# We Are The World

SATB, Accompanied

Words and Music by  
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All men  
*mp*  
There comes a time when we

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B  
heed a cer-tain call, when the world must come to-gether as one. There are

peo-ple dy-ing and it's time to lend a hand to life, the great-est gift of all

15 All women  
*mp*  
We can't go on, pre-tend-ing day by day that some-

one, some-where will soon make a change. We are all a part of God's

great big fam-i-ly, and the truth, you know love is all we  
*cresc.*  
And the truth, you know love is all we

need. We are the world, we are the chil-dren, we are the ones.  
need. We are the world, we are the chil-dren, we are the ones.

Soprano There's a choice we're mak- ing, — we're  
and Alto I  
— to make a bright- er day, — so let's — start giv - ing. Ah  
Alto II  
Ah

— to make a bright- er day, — so let's — start giv - ing.

sav - ing our — own lives, — it's true — we make a bet - ter day, — Alto II take upper harmony  
ah ah — just you and me. —

ah ah — Just you — and me. —

32 *mf*  
Well, send them your heart — so they know that some - one cares — and their

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lives will be strong - er and free. — *mf*  
As God has shown — us — by

*cresc.*  
turn - ing stone — to bread, — so we all must lend a help - ing hand. — We are the world, —

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we are the chil - dren, we are the ones —  
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There's a choice we're mak- ing, — we're  
— to make a bright- er day, — so let's — start giv - ing. Ah  
Ah

— to make a bright- er day, — so let's — start giv - ing.

sav - ing our — own lives, — it's true — we make a bet - ter day, — *f*  
ah ah — just you and me. — When you're  
ah ah — Just you — and me. — When you're

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down and out, there seems no hope at all. But if you just believe, there's no way we can fall.

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Well, let us re-al-ize that a change will on-ly come when

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*cresc.*

we stand to-gether as one, *cresc.*

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— 2x Refrain —  
 .f. →  $\phi$

57 Optional Antiphonal Chorus (SAT)

*ff*

We are the world, we are the chil-dren,

*ff*

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*ff*

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so let's start giv-ing

to make a bright-er day, so let's start giv-ing. There's a

to make a bright-er day, so let's start giv-ing.

choice we're mak-ing, we're sav-ing our own lives, it's true we make a bet-ter day.

Ah ah ah just you and me. We are the world,

Ah ah ah just you and me. We are the world,

— eind 3x —

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