

SOMETIMES I FEEL LIKE A MOTHERLESS CHILD

for seven bass clarinets

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Traditional African-American Spiritual

Arranged by JONATHAN RUSSELL

Sometimes I Fell Like A Motherless Child

Score

Freely, expressively

Arr. Jonathan Russell

Bass Clarinet 1

Bass Clarinet 2

Bass Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet 4 *follow melody*

Bass Clarinet 5

Bass Clarinet 6 *follow melody*

Bass Clarinet 7 *follow melody*

B. Cl. 1

B. Cl. 2

B. Cl. 3

B. Cl. 4

B. Cl. 5 *follow melody*

B. Cl. 6

B. Cl. 7

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B. Cl. 1

B. Cl. 2

B. Cl. 3

B. Cl. 4

B. Cl. 5

B. Cl. 6

B. Cl. 7

espressivo: imitate bass clarinet 1

follow melody

p

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B. Cl. 1

B. Cl. 2

B. Cl. 3

B. Cl. 4

B. Cl. 5

B. Cl. 6

B. Cl. 7

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B. Cl. 1 *f*

B. Cl. 2 *f* *mp*

B. Cl. 3 *f* *mp*

B. Cl. 4 *f*

B. Cl. 5 *f* *mp*

B. Cl. 6 *f* *mp*

B. Cl. 7 *f* *mp* Pull everything out as far as you can

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B. Cl. 1 *rit.*

B. Cl. 2 *pp*

B. Cl. 3 *pp*

B. Cl. 4

B. Cl. 5 *pp*

B. Cl. 6 *pp*

B. Cl. 7 *p* Finger low C, with everything pulled out, and lip down