

THE SOUND OF SILENCE

Inspired by Disturbed

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♩=84

A

Hel-lo dark-ness, my old friend I've come to talk with you a - gain

Detailed description: This block contains the first system of the musical score. It features five staves. The first four staves (treble and bass clef) each begin with a triplet of whole notes, indicated by a '3' above the staff. The fifth staff (bass clef) contains a melody starting with a triplet of eighth notes, followed by a half note, and then a melody of eighth notes. The lyrics 'Hel-lo dark-ness, my old friend' are aligned under the first staff, and 'I've come to talk with you a - gain' are aligned under the fifth staff. A tempo marking '♩=84' is at the top left, and a section marker 'A' in a box is at the top center.

8

soft - ly creep-ing I was sleep-ing

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Be-cause a vi-sion soft-ly creep-ing Left its seeds while I was sleep-ing And the

V.S.

Detailed description: This block contains the second system of the musical score, starting at measure 8. It features five staves. The first four staves (treble and bass clef) each contain a melody with lyrics. The lyrics are 'soft - ly creep-ing' and 'I was sleep-ing'. The dynamics 'ppp' and 'p' are marked above the first two staves. The fifth staff (bass clef) contains a melody with lyrics. The lyrics are 'Be-cause a vi-sion soft-ly creep-ing', 'Left its seeds while I was sleep-ing', and 'And the'. The dynamics 'ppp' and 'p' are marked above the first two staves. The system ends with a repeat sign and a 'V.S.' marking.

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vi - sion_ that was plan - ted_ in my_ brain_ Still re-mains

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vi - sion_ that was plan - ted_ in my_ brain_ Still re-mains

17

of si - lence_

sound of si - lence_

sound of si - lence_ In re-stless dreams, I walked a -

of si - lence_ In re-stless dreams, I walked a -

With-in the sound of si - lence_

21 **B**

p Ah Ah a street lamp *pp* *mp*

p Ah Ah a street lamp *pp* *mp*

lone in nar-row streets of cob-ble stone 'Neath the ha-lo of a street lamp

lone in nar-row streets of cob-ble stone 'Neath the ha-lo of a street lamp

p Ah Ah a street lamp *pp* *mp*

26

pp *mp* ha cold and damp When my eyes were stabbed by the

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mp I turned my col-lar to the cold and damp When my eyes were stabbed by the

mp I turned my col-lar to the cold and damp When my eyes were stabbed by the

pp *mp* ha cold and damp When my eyes were stabbed by the *mp* V.S.

30

flash of a ne-on__ light__ split the night and touch of

flash of a ne-on__ light__ that split__ the night And touched the sound__ of

flash of a ne-on__ light__ split the night and touch sound of

flash of a ne-on__ light__ that split__ the night sound of

flash of a ne-on__ light__ split the night and touch of

35

C

si - lence Ah____ Ah____

si - lence And in the na-ked light, I saw Ten thou-sand peo-ple may-be more

si - lence And in the na-ked light, I saw Ten thou-sand peo-ple may-be more

si - lence Ah____ Ah____

si - lence Ah____ Ah____

40

— with - out__spea-king with - out__ lis-tening

Peo-ple tal-king with-out__spea-king Peo-ple hear-ing with-out__ lis - tening Peo-ple wri-ting

Peo-ple tal-king with-out__spea-king Peo-ple hear-ing with-out__out lis-tening Peo-ple wri-ting

— with - out__spea-king with - out__ lis-tening

— with - out__spea-king with - out__ lis-tening

45

that voi - ces__ ne - ver__ shared__ And no one__ dared

songs that voi - ces__ ne - ver__ shared__ And no one__ dared

songs that voi - ces__ ne - ver__ shared__ And no one__ dared

songs that voi - ces__ ne - ver__ shared__ No one dared dis -

songs that voi - ces__ ne - ver__ shared__ No one dared dis -

49

of si - lence_

Dis-turb the sound of si - lence_

Dis-turb the sound of si - lence_

turb sound of si - lence_ "Fools" said I, "You do not

turb of si - lence_ "Fools" said I, "You do not

53 **D**

mf Do not_ know you Do not_ know_ Can-cer gro - ows I might

mf Do not_ know you Do not_ know_ Can-cer gro - ows I might

mf Do not_ know you Do not_ know_ Can-cer gro - ows I might

know si-lence like a can-cer grows Hear my words that I might

know si-lence like a can-cer grows Hear my words that I might

57

___ teach you___ Take my arms that I might___ reach you___ But my words, like

___ teach you___ Take my arms that I might___ reach you" But my words, like

___ teach you___ I might___ reach you" words, like

___ teach you_ I might___ reach you" words, like

___ teach you_ I might___ reach you" words, like

62

si - lent_ rain-drops fell___ And e - choed in the wells___ of si - lence___

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si - lent_ rain-drops fell___ And e - choed in the wells___ of si - lence___

si - lent_ rain-drops fell___ And e - choed in the wells___ of si - lence___

si - lent_ rain-drops fell___ And e - choed in the wells___ of si - lence___

E

67 *mf* *ff*

And the poe-ple bowed and pray - ed to the ne - on god they__ ma -

And the poe-ple bowed and pray - ed to the ne - on god they__ ma -

And the poe-ple bowed and pray - ed to the ne - on god they__ ma -

And the poe-ple bowed and pray - ed to the ne - on god they__ ma -

And the poe-ple bowed and pray - ed to the ne - on god they__ ma__

71

-de its__ war-ning_ wa - as for - ming

-de And the sign flashed out its__ war-ning_ In the words that it wa - as for - ming

-de And the sign flashed out its__ war-ning_ In the words that it wa - as for - ming

-de And the sign flashed out its__ war-ning_ words wa - as for - ming

de And the sign flashed out its__ war-ning_ words wa - as for - ming

75

words on the pro-phets are wri-ten on the sub-way walls In te-ne-ment

f Then the sign said, The words on the pro-phets are wri-ten on the sub-way walls In te-ne-ment

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mp — halls" And whis-pered in the sounds_ rit. 2

mp — halls" And whis-pered in the sounds_ 2

mp — halls" And whis-pered in the sounds_ 2

mp — halls" And whis-pered in the sounds_ 2

mp — halls" And whis-pered in the sounds_ of si - lence_ 2