

BECAUSE ALL MEN ARE BROTHERS

D G D G D9 Em7-D A#o G Bm F#/B F#7 Bm
 BECAUSE ALL MEN ARE BRO-THERS WHEREVER MEN MAY BE
 D G D G D9 Em7- D A#o G Bm F#/B F#7 Bm
 ONE UNION SHALL UNITE US FOR-EVER PROUD AND FREE
 Ds5 C#m-D G C#m-A G D D G F#o GM7 Em B E7
 NO TYRANT SHALL DE FEAT US NO NATION STRIKE US DOWN ALL
 A E D A B7-E A D G/E D As3 A-D
 MEN WHO TOIL SHALL GREET US THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD A-ROUND

D G D G D9 Em7-D A#o G Bm F#/B F#7 Bm
 MY BROTHERS ARE ALL OTHERS FOR-EVER HAND IN HAND
 D G D G D9 Em7- D A#o G Bm F#/B F#7 Bm
 WHERE CHIMES THE BELL OF FREEDOM THERE IS MY NA- TIVE LAND
 Ds5 C#m-D G C#m-A G D D G F#o GM7 Em B E7
 MY BROTHER'S FEARS ARE MY FEARS; YELLOW, WHITE, OR BROWN MY
 A E D A B7-E A D G/E D As3 A-D
 BROTHER'S TEARS ARE MY TEARS; THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD AROUND

C F C G C G E Am E7 Am C
 LET EVERY VOICE BE THUNDER LET EVERY HEART BEAT STRONG
 D G D G D9 Em7- D A#o G Bm F#/B F#7 Bm
 UNTIL ALL TYRANTS PERISH OUR WORK SHALL NOT BE DONE
 Ds5 C#m-D G C#m-A G D D G F#o GM7 Em B E7
 LET NOT OUR MEMORIES FAIL US, THE LOST YEARS SHALL BE FOUND LET
 A E D A B7-E-A D G/E D As3 A-D
 SLAVERY'S CHAINS BE BRO--KEN THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD AROUND.

The music for this song was composed by J.S. Bach. It is a chorale from the St. Matthew Passion. PP&M acknowledged this on their recording. Paul Simon made a song from it also, called "American Tune" but his song book does not acknowledge that Bach wrote the music.