

Something Special Happens

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Introduction: Joyfully! ♩ = 105

Young Voices

hand claps

sing it with great joy!!!

A (sus4)

Some - thing spe - cial ha - ppens when I sing with you—

Piano

f

Interlude

Y.V.

hand claps

top note second time only

G E7 A (sus4) It's spe - cial D G E7 A (sus4) to - ge - ther

Pno.

Y.V.

8

D G E7 A (sus4) it's spe - cial D G E7 A (sus4)

Pno.

Verse 1

12

Y.V.

Some - thing spe - cial ha - ppens when I sing with you, — we're not a - lone, we are a - ttuned,

D D/C# Bm7 A A/G D/F# G D/F# E7 A(sus4) /G

Pno.

mp

16

Y.V.

it's a fra - gile u - ni - son a part to play, and yet with this sym - pho - ny of us I feel re - newed.

F#m G D/A G/B A/C# D D/F# G A(sus4) A7(b9) D B(sus4)

Pno.

Verse 2

20

Y.V.

Some - thing spe - cial ha - ppens when you sing with me, — no lon - ger one, not bi - na - ry,

E E/D# C#m7 B B/A E/G# A E/G# F#7 B(sus4) B(sus4)/A

Pno.

mf

24

Y.V.

it's a u - ni - verse of wond - rous po - ssi - bi - li - ty, it's a patch - work shi - ning bright, and clear and new. In your

G#m A E/B A/C# B/D# E E/G# A B(sus4) B7(b9) E

Pno.

Pre-chorus

28

Y.V. heart you know it's true, the fee - ling of our voi - ces, to -

Pno. A Gmaj7 Fmaj7 Am⁶

30

Y.V. ge - ther, will he - lp us through... Give me a

Pno. E/B F#/A# B(sus4) C(sus4)

Chorus

33

Y.V. **CLAP!** CLAP, and join my hand, let me hear you, as strong as you can, from your

Pno. F F/A B \flat Eb⁷ /D \flat F/C G/B C(sus4)

37

Y.V. lungs to your di - a - phragm, let it flow, now you un - der - stand, that this is

Pno. Cm⁷ F⁷ B \flat Eb⁷ /D \flat F/C G/B C(sus4)

41

Y.V. some - thing spe - cial, when we sing to - ge - ther,

Pno. F A7 B \flat Eb7 /D \flat F/C G/B C(sus4)

45

Y.V. some - thing spe - cial, when we sing to -

Pno. F(sus4) F7 B \flat G \flat 7 F/C D(sus4)

48

Y.V. ge - ther...

Pno. G(sus4) C(sus4) C(sus4b9) F A(sus4)

Interlude and Chorus

[2.]

51

Y.V.

It's spe - cial to - ge - ther

Pno.

F B \flat G 7 C(sus4) F B \flat G 7 C(sus4)

55

Main Voice

It's spe - cial Give me a

Pno.

F B \flat G 7 C(sus4) F B \flat G 7 C(sus4)

59

Main Voice

CLAP, and join my hand, let me hear you, as strong as you can, from your

Pno.

F F/A B \flat E \flat 7 /D \flat F/C G/B C(sus4)

63

Main Voice

lungs to your di - a - phragm, _____ let it flow, now you un - der stand, _____ that this is

Pno.

Cm7 F7 Bb Eb7 /Db F/C G/B C(sus4)

67

Voices in three parts

Main Voice

some - thing spe - cial, _____ when we sing to - ge - ther,

Pno.

F A7 Bb Eb7 /Db F/C G/B C(sus4)

71

Main Voice

some - thing spe - cial, _____ when we sing to - ge - ther...

Pno.

Cm7 F7 Bb Gø7 F/C D(sus4) G(sus4) C(sus4) C(sus4b9)

75

Unison Outro

Voices back into Unison

Main Voice

Some - thing spe - cial, _____ when we sing to - ge - ther,

Pno.

F A7 Bb Eb7 /Db F/C G/B C(sus4)

79

some - thing spe - cial, _____ when we sing to - ge - ther...

Pno.

F(sus4) F7 Bb Gø7 F/C G7/B Bbmaj7 C(sus4) C#(sus4)

83

Some - thing spe - cial, _____ when we sing to - ge - ther,

Pno.

F# A#7 B E7 E7/D F#/C# G#/B# C#(sus4b9)

87

some - thing spe - cial, _____ when we sing to - ge - ther It's spe - cial!

Pno.

F#(sus4) F7 B G#ø7