LYRICS FOR LESSON ONE- SONGS OF FREEDOM

Two songs: *Many Thousand Gone* and *Couldn’t Hear Nobody Pray*

D2, #3 MANY THOUSAND GONE

No more auction block for me

No more, No more

No more auction block for me

Many thousand gone

No more peck of corn for me

No more, No more

No more peck of corn for me

Many thousand gone

No more driver’s lash for me

No more, No more

No more driver’s lash for me

Many thousand gone

No more pint of salt for me

No more, No more

No more pint of salt for me

Many thousand gone

No more hundred lash for me

No more, No more

No more hundred lash for me

Many thousand gone

No more mistress calls for me

No more, No more

No more mistress calls for me

Many thousand gone

I said Many thousand gone

There’s many thousand gone

D2, # 14 I COULDN’T HEAR NOBODY PRAY

Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself,, Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

REPEAT

Jesus loves me, this I know

For the Bible tells me so.

Little one’s down here below.

They are weak, but Thou are strong.

Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself, Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

Couldn’t hear my Mother pray

Lord couldn’t hear my Father pray

Gonna keep on runnin’ each and every day.

Got to make it back to Beulah Land by Judgment Day.

Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself, Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

Well I called on my friends,

They could not be found.

You know, the pressures of life

got me heaven bound.

Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself,, Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

Sometimes I wonder what to say

Lord, I’m comin’, yes I’m on my way.

Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself,, Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

Chilly waters in the Jordan

Crossin’ over into Canaan.

I couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself,, Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

Morning red, evening grey

Helps a lonely traveler on his way

Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself,, Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

Well, in the valley, on my knees

With my burdens, and my savior.

I couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Way down yonder, by myself,

Couldn’t hear nobody pray.

Couldn’t hear my sister pray

Lord, I couldn’t hear my brother pray

Sometimes I wonder just what to say

Couldn’t hear nobody pray., Couldn’t hear nobody pray, Couldn’t hear nobody pray

Way down yonder, by myself, Couldn’t hear nobody pray. (REPEAT)