

# The deserter

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*♩ = 80*  
*Soft and mellow blend*

Soprano  
See the world tur - ning round Hear - the harsh and -

Alto  
See see see the wo world tur - ning rou rou round hear hea hea hear the ha ha harsh and

Tenor  
See see see the wo world tur - ning rou rou round hear hea hea hear the ha ha harsh and

Bass

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S.  
- mor-bid sound of - fla-ming rows and war and war and

A.  
mo mo mor-bid sou sou sound of fla fla fla-ming ro rows a and wa wa war and wa wa war and

T.  
mo mo mor-bid sou sou sound of fla fla fla-ming ro rows a and wa wa war and wa wa war and

B.

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*To Coda*

S.  
war we're trou - ble to the em - pe - ror look - at the - skies

A.  
wa wa warwe're trou-ou-ble-el to-o the-e e-em-pe e ro ro ror look loo look at the skie ie ie ie

T.  
wa wa warwe're trou-ou-ble el to-o the e e-em-pe e ro ro ror look loo look at the skie ie ie ie

B.

S. where no god - hides who - rewards for making war just like some

A. ies where no god hi hi hi hides who who who for ma - king wa wa war just like some

T. ies where no god hi hi hi hides who who who for ma - king wa wa war just like some

B.

♩ = 125

*attacca*

S. o - ther - em - pe - ror em - pe - ror look at those eyes

A. o - ther em - pe - ro o o o o o o o em - pe - ror look - at those -

T. o - ther em - pe - ro o o o o o o o em - pe - ror look - at those -

B.

S. look at those eyes look at those eyes look at those eyes where no soul lies

A. - eyes look - at those - eyes where - no soul -

T. - eyes look - at those - eyes where - no soul -

B.

S. where no soul lies where no soul lies where no soul lies ea - ger to win

A. - lies where - no soul - lies ea - ger to -

T. - lies where - no soul - lies ea - ger to -

B.

S. ea - ger to win ea - ger to win ea - ger to win a de - cent life life de - cent life life

A. - win ea - ger to - win a de de - cent - life a

T. 8 - win ea - ger to - win a de de cent - life a -

B.

S. de - cent life life de - cent life life on the edge of a on the edge of a

A. de - cent life on - the edge of

T. 8 - de - cent - life on the edge - of co -

B.

S. co - wards knife knife co - wards knife knife I hear hear the murmur of guns guns

A. co - wards knife knife co - wards knife knife Hear hear mur - mur guns -

T. 8 - wards knife - knife I - hear mur - mur guns -

B. *crescendo tutti*

S. guns guns guns guns guns guns guns I hea hea hear the moa - ning moa - ning

A. - guns - guns - guns hear hea moa - ning moa -

T. 8 - guns guns - guns hear - hea moa - ning moa -

B.

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S. moa - ning moa - ning of shell - fi - re shell fi - re I see the blood blood blood that run run

A. - ning shell - shell I - see blood - that runs

T. 8 - ning shell - shell I - see blood - that run -

B.

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S. runs and the lot au - tho - ri ties re - qui - re

A. - and au - ri I see it all and I say no I see it all

T. 8 - and au - ri re - I I I I I - I -

B.

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S. I see it all - and I say no - I see it

A. and I say ne I see it all and I say no I see it all and I say no

T. 8 - I I see it - all and - I - say - no I -

B.

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S. all - and I say no - My terror is high -

A. I see it all and I say no I see it all and I say My ter - ror - is high

T. 8 - see it - all and - I say - no My ter - ror -

B.

S. - my fear is low - - high -

A. high high high high fear is low low lo lo lo low high high high high

T. - high my - fear low - fear low - high high-

B.

S. - - low - - I - I won't col - la - bo -

A. high high high high lo lo lo lo lo lo low I la bo - rate col -

T. - high lo - lo - lo - low I - won't I -

B.

S. rate I won't col - la - bo - ra - - te I won't col - la - bo - rate I

A. la - bo - rate col - la - bo - rate col - la - bo - rate col la - bo - rate col

T. - won't I - won't I - won't I - I won't col - la - bo -

B. won't I -

S. won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I

A. la - bo - rate col la - bo - rate col I won't col - la - bo -

T. rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo -

B. - won't I won't col - la - bo - rate won't col - la - bo - rate

S. won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I

A. rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo -

T. rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo - rate I won't col - la - bo -

B. won't col - la - bo - rate won't col - la - bo - rate won't col - la - bo - rate

S. won't col - la - bo - rate I with this game of game of hate hate with this game of

A. rate I won't col - la - bo with this game of game of hate hate game of hate hate

T. rate I won't col - la - bo game of hate

B. won't col - la - bo - rate *ff tutti*

S. game of hate hate game of faith faith game of faith of un - fair trade trade un - fair trade

A. game of hate hate game of faith faith game of faith of un - fair trade trade un - fair trade trade

T. hate game faith fair trade

B.

S. game of fate fate game of fate hate faith trade fate ro

A. game of fate fate game of fate hate faith trade fate ro ro ro

T. fair game fate hate faith trade fate ro ro ro

B.

D.C.  
bar 1-15 dolce mf Coda