

# When Israel Was in Egypt's Land

Begleitsatz (Intonation bis \*)

1. When Is - rael was in E - gypt's land, let my peo-ple go, \* op - pressed so hard they could not stand,

let my peo - ple go. Go down, Mo - ses, way down in E - gypt's land, —

tell old — Pha - raoh: Let my peo - ple go.

2. «Thus spoke the Lord», bold Moses said, / let my people go, / «if not I'll smite your firstborn dead», / let my people go. / Go down, Moses ...

3. «No more shall they in bondage toil», / let my people go, / «let them come out with Egypt's spoil», / let my people go. / Go down, Moses ...

4. The Lord told Moses what to do, / let my people go, / to lead the children of Israel through, / let my people go. / Go down, Moses...

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