

Pitch pipe:



# The Sound of Silence

By Paul Simon

Arranged by Julie Hinton

Peacefully ♩=100

SOPRANO

bah  
*(on repeat only)*

bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum

ALTO

1. Hel - lo dark-ness, my old friend. I've come to talk with you a - gain.  
 2. In rest-less dreams, I walked a - lone nar-row streets of cob-ble-stone.  
 3. And the peo - ple bowed and prayed to the ne - on god they made.

TENOR

bah  
*(on repeat only)*

bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum

BASS

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3x To Coda

S.

bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum

A.

Be cause a vi - sion soft-ly\_\_ creep ing left its seeds while I was\_\_ sleep ing. And the  
 'Neath the ha - lo of a\_\_ street lamp. I turned my col - lar to the cold and damp, when my  
 And the sign flashed out its\_\_ warn-ing in the words that it was\_\_ form-ing.

T.

bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum

B.

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S. bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum with - in the  
And touched the

A. vi - sion that was plan - ted in my brain still remains with - in the  
eyes were stabbed by the flash of a ne - on light that split thenight, and touched the

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S. sound sound bum bum bah *mp* bum bum bum bum bum

A. sound of si - lence... 3. And in the na ked light, I saw  
sound of si - lence... 4. "Fools," said I, "you do not know

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A

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S. bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum

A. *mf* ten thou - sand peo - ple, may - be more. Peo - ple talk - ing with - out  
si - lence like a can - cer grows. Hear my words that I might

T. bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum bum

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