

for Quintessence

# Didn't It Rain

David Hamilton (1982)

♩ = 138

Musical score for Soprano 1, Soprano 2, Alto, Tenor, and Bass, measures 1-4. The score is in G major and 7/8 time. The lyrics are: *f* Now did-n't it rain chil- lun God's gon- na 'stroy this world with wa- ter, now *pp*. The Tenor and Bass parts have rests in measures 1-3 and enter in measure 4 with *pp* now.

Musical score for Soprano 1, Soprano 2, Alto, Tenor, and Bass, measures 5-8. The score is in G major and 7/8 time. The lyrics are: did-n't it rain my Lord, my Lord, rain, *mf* it; did-n't it rain my Lord, now did-n't it rain, rain. rain, well it rained for- ty; did-n't it rain my Lord, now did-n't it rain, rain. rain, *mf* wellit; did-n't it rain my Lord, now did-n't it rain, rain. rain, *mf* Lord my; did-n't it rain my Lord, now did-n't it rain, rain. rain, *mf* Lord my.

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rained my Lord it rained, *f* there was- n't no land no- where in sight,  
 days and it rained for- ty nights, *f* there was- n't no land no- where in sight,  
 rained and it rained for- ty nights, *f* there was- n't no land no- where in sight,  
 Lord it rained for- ty nights, *f* there was- n't no land no- where in sight,  
 Lord my Lord *f* there was- n't no land no- where in sight,



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God sent a ra- ven to car- ry the news, he histe his wings and a-  
 no- where in sight, God sent a ra- ven to car- ry the news, he histe his wings and a-  
 no- where in sight, God sent a ra- ven to car- ry the news, he histe his wings and a-  
 no- where in sight, God sent a ra- ven to car- ry the news, he histe his wings and a-  
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way he flew, *mp* did- n't it rain, gon- na 'stroy this

way he flew, *p* did- n't it rain God's gon- na 'stroy this

way he flew, now *p* did- n't it rain chil- lun God's gon- na 'stroy this

way he flew, God's gon- na 'stroy this

way he flew, God's gon- na 'stroy this

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world with wa- ter, now *p* did- n't it rain my Lord, my Lord

world with wa- ter, now *p* did- n't it rain my Lord, now did- nt it rain rain

world with wa- ter, now *p* did- n't it rain my Lord, now did- nt it rain rain

world with wa- ter, now *p* did- n't it rain my Lord, now did- nt it rain rain

world with wa- ter, now *p* did- n't it rain my Lord, now did- nt it rain rain