

Masithi, Lord Jesus

Masithi, Herr Jesus

TTBB a cappella

Lyrics: based on a Xhosa traditional/South Africa
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Music: Lorenz Maierhofer
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Animated

T1 T2 B1 B2 Bodypercussion and movement ad lib Piano/Klavier (for rehearsal)

1. A - men. Si ya du - sa.*)
 2. A - men. He lives wi - heart.
 3. A - men. His shows where go.
 (4.) A - men. His ness is with me.

1. A - men. Si ya du mi - sa.*)
 2. A - men. He lives wi - in my heart.
 3. A - men. His shows where to go.
 (4.) A - men. His ness is with me. □ Solo ad lib

1.-4. A - men, A - - - men. 1./3. Ma - si - thi.
 (Schenkelschlag) 2./4. Lord Je - sus. (clap / klatschen)

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*) Masithi = Amen / So seien.

Si yaku dumisa = We praise You, Lord, we thank You. / Wir preisen dich, Herr, wir danken dir.

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A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa.
A - men. He lives with - in my heart.
A - men. His light shows where to go.
A - men. His bless - ing is with me.

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A - men. His bless - ing is with me.

1. - 4. A - men, A - men, A - men.

ya - ku du - mi -
2. He live with - in my
3. His light shows where to go.
(4.) His bless - ing is with me.

(slap / Schenkelschlag) (clap / klatsche)

F7 F7 B_b B_b

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A - men. Ba - wo! _____
A - men. He lives! _____
A - men. His light! _____
A - men. His bless - ing!

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A - men. His light! _____
A - men. His bless - ing!

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A - men. His light! _____
A - men. His bless - ing!

sa. heart. go. me.

(slap / Schenkelschlag) (clap / klatschen) (slap / Schenkelschlag) (clap / klatschen)

B_b E_b 6 E_b 6

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D.S. al Ø - Ø
(after verse 4)

1.-4. A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa. 1./3. Ma -
2. Lord Je -

1.-4. A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa. Ma - si - thi.
2. Lord Je - sus.

1.-4. A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa. Ma - si - thi.
2. Lord Je - sus.

men. Si ya - ku du - - sa. 1./3. - si - - thi.
2. Lord Je - - sus.

(hands to the chest /
Hände an die Brust legen)

(spread hands / Hände ausbreiten)

F6 F6 Ø B♭ F7 D.S. al Ø - Ø
(after verse 4)

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sa. Ma - si - thi. 5. A - men. Oh, sing and praise the Lord.

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sa. Ma - si - thi. 5. A - men. A - men. Ma -

□ Solo ad lib □ Solo ad lib

(spread hands / Hände ausbreiten) (slap / Schenkelschlag) (clap / klatschen)

C C C G



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A - men. Oh, sing and praise the Lord.

A - men. Oh, sing and praise the Lou

A - men. Oh, sing and praise

si - thi. A - men. me Si ya - ku du - mi -

(clap / klatschen) (slap / Schenkelenschlag) (clap / klatschen)

G G7 G7 C

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A - men. Let's si - A - men. Let's sing! A - men. Si

A - men. Let's si - A - men. Let's sing! A - men. Si

A - men. Let's sing! A - men. Let's sing! A - men. Si

sa. A - men. A - men. Si

(slap / Schenkelenschlag) (clap / klatschen) (slap / Schenkelenschlag) (clap / klatschen) (hands to the chest / Hände an die Brust legen)

C C F6 F6 G6



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Ending

ya - ku du - mi - sa. Ma - si - thi. A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi -

ya - ku du - mi - sa. Ma - si - thi. A - ku du - mi -

ya - ku du - mi - sa. Ma - si - thi. men. Si ya - ku du - mi -

Γ Solo ad lib

ya - ku du - mi - sa. Ma - si - A - Si ya - ku du - mi -

(hands to the chest /
Hände an die Brust legen) (spread hands /
Hände ausbreiten) (hands to the chest /
Hände an die Brust legen)

G 6 G 7 C G 7 C G 6 G 7

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sa. - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa. _____

sa. A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa. _____

sa. A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa. _____

Γ Solo

sa. thi. A - men. Si ya - ku du - mi - sa. _____

(spread hands /
Hände ausbreiten) (hands to the chest /
Hände an die Brust legen) rit. (spread hands /
Hände ausbreiten)

C C G 6 G 6 G 7 C C



optional

English lyrics

Masithi, Lord Jesus!

1. = African lyrics

2. Amen. He lives within my heart. ...
Amen. He lives! He lives!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi!
3. Amen. His light shows where to go. ...
Amen. His light! Amen. His light!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi!
4. Amen. His blessing is with me. ...
Amen. His blessing! Amen. His blessing!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi!
5. Amen. Oh sing and praise the Lord
Amen. Let's sing! Amen. Let's sing!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi! ...
Amen. Si yaku dumisa.

Verse 2 for Christmas

- *2. Amen. He's born in Bethlehem.
Amen. He's born! Amen. He's born!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi!

german lyrics

Masithi, Lord Jesus!

1. = deutsch - dtext

- Amen. Er lebt und ist in mir ...
Amen! Amen. Er lebt!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi!
- Amen. Sein Licht weist mir den Weg. ...
Amen. Sein Licht! Amen. Sein Licht!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi!
- Amen. Sein Segen ist mit mir. ...
Amen. Sein Segen! Amen. Sein Segen!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa.
- Amen. Ich singe Lob und Dank. ...
Amen. Ich singe! Amen. Ich singe!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi! ...
Amen. Si yaku dumisa.

Weihnachtliche Strophe 2:

- *2. Amen. Das Licht von Bethlehem! ...
Amen. Das Licht! Amen. Das Licht!
Amen. Si yaku dumisa. Masithi!

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