

So strong

Words and music: Labi Siffre
Arr: Jetse Bremer

LABI SIFFRE

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Solo Sopraan

S.

A.

Bar.

El. piano

mp

Use delay pedal

5

mf

mp The high - er you build your bar-ri -

mp ooh

mp ooh

mp ooh

mp ooh

mp ooh

Opt. 8va basso

9

ers The tal - ler I be-come The farth - er you take my rights a -

a - way ooh

a - way ooh

a - way ooh

a - way ooh

25

— You thought that my pride was gone — Oh no, some-thing in-side so strong — Oh —
 — ooh ooh ooh Oh —
 — ooh ooh ooh Oh —
 — ooh ooh ooh Oh —

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— some-thing in-side so strong — *mf* The more — you re-fuse to hear my
 — ooh — *mp* ooh
 — ooh — *mp* ooh
 — ooh — *mp* ooh
 — ooh — *mp* ooh

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voice — The lou - der I will sing You hide — be-hind walls of Je-ri-
 oo-wi oo-wi oo-wi oo-wi ooh
 — a-way — ooh
 — a-way — ooh

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— You thought that my pride was gone— Oh no, some-thing in-side so strong— Oh—
 — ooh ooh ooh Oh—
 — ooh ooh ooh Oh—
 — ooh ooh ooh Oh—

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— some-thing in-side so strong— *f* Brothers and sis-ters— When they in-sist we're just not
 — ooh ooh ooh *f* Brothers and sis-ters— we're just not
 — ooh ooh ooh *f* Brothers and sis-ters— we're just not
 — ooh ooh ooh *f* we're just not

57

good e-nough— When we know bet-ter— Just look'em in theeyesand say
 good e-nough— When we know bet-ter— Just look'em in the
 good e-nough— When we know bet-ter— Just look'em in the
 good e-nough— Just look'em in the

72

mp

mp so strong — so strong —

mp so strong —

mp so strong —

77

ah — ah — ah —

ah — ah — ah —

ah — ah — ah —

81

f

f Broth-ers and sis-ters — When they in-sist we're just not

f ooh — *f* Broth-ers and sis-ters — we're just not

f ooh — *f* Broth-ers and sis-ters — we're just not

f ooh — *f* we're just not

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know that I — can make it Tho' you're do-ing me wrong, so wrong — You thought that my pride was gone—

know that I — can — make it Tho' you're do-ing me wrong, so wrong — You thought that my pride was gone—

know that I — can make it Tho' you're do-ing me wrong, so wrong — You thought that my pride was gone—

know that I — can make it Tho' you're do-ing me wrong, so wrong — You thought that my pride was gone—

CHORUS

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Oh no, — some-thing in-side so strong Some-thing in-side so strong — I

Oh no, — some-thing in-side so strong Some-thing in-side so strong — I

Oh no, — some-thing in-side so strong Some-thing in-side so strong — I

Oh no, — some-thing in-side so strong Some-thing in-side so strong — I

opt: add free improvisations

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know that I — can make it Tho' you're do-ing me wrong, so wrong — You thought that my pride was gone—

know that I — can make it Tho' you're do-ing me wrong, so wrong — You thought that my pride was gone—