

Bottom of the River

$\text{♩} = 75$ *Soulfully*

SOPRANO

Hold my head Oh ba by it's a long way down to the bot tom of the riv er hold my head oh ba by it's a

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

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long way down a long way down— if you get sleep or if you get none and

the cock's gon na cal l in the mor n ing ba by

the cock's gon na ca ll in the mor ning ba by

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check the cup board for your dad dy's gun the

red sun ris es like an ear ly warn ing

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red sun ris es like an ear ly warn ing

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Lord's gon na come for your first born son

so go to the riv er where the wa ter runs

His hair's on fire.and his hea rt is burn in

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and if you fall and if you fall Hold my hand Oh ba by it's a

wash him deep where the tides are turn in and if you fall hold my

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long way down to the bot tom of the riv er hold my hand oh ba by it's a long way down a long way down... the

long way down hold my long way down

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wolves will chase you by the pale moon light drive your son like a rail road spi ke

(deep hum) ... drunk and driv en by the dev il's hun ger

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and don't you lift him let him drown a live

in to the wat er let it pul l him un der the good lord speaks like a roll ing thun der

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let that fev er make the wat er rise and I said Hold my hand Oh ba by it's a

and let the riv er run dry hold my oh oh oh

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long way down to the bot tom of the riv er hold my hand oh ba by it's a long way down a long way down_

long way down hold my oh oh oh long way down

long way down hold my oh oh oh long way down *improvise whoa!*

long way down hold my oh oh oh long way down *improvise whoa!*

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Hold my hand Oh ba by it's a long way a long long long way

hold my oh oh oh long way down

hold my oh oh oh long way down

hold my oh oh oh long way down

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hold my hand oo ba by it's a long way down a long way down_

hold my oh oh oh OH

hold my oh oh oh OH

hold my oh oh oh OH