

PSALM

137b By flowing waters of Babylon

Unison

1 By flow-ing wa - ters of Bab - y - lon
 2 They who op - press us and mock our grief
 3 If we for - get you, Je - ru - sa lem,

we hung our harps on the wil - lows:
 tell us to sing and be mer - ry:
 may we keep si - lence for - ev - er!

how shall we sing our Je - ho - vah's song
 how can we wor - ship when spir - its fail
 Still we re - mem - ber our dis - tant home

in a for - eign land, far a - way?
 in an a - lien land, far a - way?
 in an - oth - er land, far a - way.

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