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**chant to the sun**

*for mixed choir (SMATBarB) a cappella*

May the sun rise in splendor,  
may the earth appear in light.  
A wind carries me.  
Look, it's sacred.  
A rainbow hoop carries me.  
Look, it's sacred.  
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may the earth appear in light.

*Lakota poem*  
(adapted by the composer)

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Lakota poem

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♩ = 54

*mf* *p*

Soprano  
May \_\_\_\_\_ the sun \_\_\_\_\_

Mezzo-Soprano  
May \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_

Alto  
May May \_\_\_\_\_ May May \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_

Tenor  
May \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_

Baritone  
the \_\_\_\_\_

Bass  
the \_\_\_\_\_

10

*f* *p* *f*

rise \_\_\_\_\_ in sple-n - dor earth \_\_\_\_\_

the \_\_\_\_\_

May \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_

May \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_

May \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_

May \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_

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Più mosso

A wind car-ries me  
 A wind car-ries me  
 A wind car-ries me  
 earth ap-pear in light A wind car-ries me  
 A wind car-ries me

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Tempo I

ries me May May  
 me May May  
 me A wind  
 A wind car-ries me A wind  
 me A wind car-ries me  
 A wind wears me May

Meno mosso

36

*f* *p* *pp* *mf* *pp*

sun rise, the sun rise A wind car-ries me

sun rise, the sun rise m

the sun rise, the sun rise

the sun rise, the the sun rise

the sun rise, the sun rise

the sun rise, the sun rise

44

*f* *p* *f* *ff* *più f* *ff*

(tutti)

Look, it's sa - cred Look, it's sa - cred Look, it's sa - cred

m Look, it's sa - cred

m Look, it's sa - cred

m Look, it's sa - cred

Look, it's sa - cred Look, it's sa - cred

m Look, it's sa - cred

52 *whisper*  $\text{♩} = 54$

it's sa - cred it's sa -

it's sa - cred it's sa -

it's sa - cred *mp* A rain-bow car-ries me

it's sa - cred *p* A rain-bow hoop car - - ries me

it's sa - cred *p* A rain-bow hoop car - ries me

*p* Look Look

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cred A rain-bow hoop car - ries me

cred A rain-bow hoop car - ries me

A rain-bow hoop car - ries me

A rain-bow car - - - - ries me

A rain-bow hoop car - - - - ries me

A rain-bow-hoop car - ries me

meno mosso

62 speak in a loud and clear voice

*f* it's sa - cred *p* sun *pp*

Speak in a loud and clear voice

*f* it's sa - cred *p* the *pp*

Speak in a loud and clear voice

*f* it's sa - cred *p* solo *mf* May the sun

Speak in a loud and clear voice

*f* it's sa - cred *p* *p* May *pp* May

Speak in a loud and clear voice

*f* it's sa - cred *p* *p* May *p* *pp*

*p* Look May

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*p* May

*p* May

*tutti p* rise in splen - dor May *pp* m

*pp* the in

May the earth ap - pear in light

*mf* solo *pp* *tutti* May

*pp* May

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whisper

Look, it's sa - cred

whisper

Look, it's sa - cred

whisper

Look, it's sa - cred

whisper

Look, it's sa - cred

light

(tutti) *pp*

m

m

*pp*

m

m