

*For the Choir of St. Mary's, Port Washington, Wisconsin.*

# WHEN ISRAEL WAS IN EGYPT'S LAND

Text: African-American Spiritual

Tune: GO DOWN MOSES  
African-American Spiritual  
Arranged by Drew Rutz

**Verse 1**

*T* When

*B* Let my peo-ple go, O, Let my peo-ple go, O,

*S, A* Let my peo-ple go;

*T* Is - rael was in E - gypt's land, Let my peo-ple go; Op -

*B* Let my peo-ple go, go, go. Let my peo - ple go; God says,

*S, A* Let my peo-ple go.

*T* pressed so hard they could not stand, Let my peo-ple go.

*B* "Let my peo-ple go, go, go. Let my peo - ple go."

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**Refrain**

13 *S*  
 Go down, Mo - ses, way down in E-gypt's land;

*A*  
 Go down, Mo-ses, go down, Mo-ses, Let my peo-ple go. \_\_\_\_\_

*T*  
 Go down, Mo - ses, Let my peo-ple go. \_\_\_\_\_

*B*  
 Go down, Mo-ses, go down, Mo-ses, Let my peo-ple go. Tell

*for rehearsal only*

**Fine**

Tell old Phar-aoh to let my peo-ple go.

Tell old Phar - aoh, tell him, let my peo-ple go.

Tell old Phar-aoh let my peo-ple go.

old Phar - aoh to — let my peo - ple go.