

Homeward Bound

Paul Simon
arr. David Harris

out of time

hm dwee-dl-ee ah doo dah dmm I'm

mm

3 nm

nm nm n - ma nm nm nm nm nm n - ma nm nm nm

5 hm

nm nm n - ma nm nm nm nm n - ma nm nm nm

7

nm nm n - ma nm nm nm nm n - ma nm nm nm

9

ev - ery stop is neat - ly planned for a po - et and a one man band

nm nm n - ma nm nm nm nm nm n - ma nm nm nm

11

Home - ward bound*, I wish I

ooo home - ward bound* I wish I

13

was home - ward bound* home*

was home - ward bound* home*

15

where my thoughts e - scap - in home* where my mu - ic's play - in, home*

where my thoughts e - scap - inhome* where my mu - sic's play - inhome*

17

freely

where my love lies wai - ting si - lept - ly for me.

where my love lies wai - ting ooo for

19

nm nm n - ma nm nm nm

options for the end:

- 1) have the male voices do the opening 2 measures
- 2) repeat the "silently for me" a couple times over the bass line mm 3-6ish (until you get back to tonic)
- 3) do #2 and have women in canon so that when part 1 sings "for" part 2 is singing "silently"
- 4) have the basses join on the word "me" and hold the chord

Verse 2

Everyday's an endless stream
of cigarettes and magazines. Mm
And each town looks the same to me,
The movies and the factories
and every stranger's face I see
reminds me that I long to be

Verse 3

Tonight I'll sing my songs again
I'll play the game, and pretend. Mm
But all my words come back to me
in shades of mediocrity
Like emptiness in harmony
I need someone to comfort me.