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Rainstorm
from Reef Songs
SSATB and percussion

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♩ = 124

SOPRANO 1 *mf*
The clouds build up

SOPRANO 2 *mp*
Rain on dis-tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis

ALTO *mp*
Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - zon,

TENOR (optional) *mp*
Mmm

BASS *mp*

Whistle Cabassa *pp*

Djembe

6

in the far south - west Just be - hind Sea - forth Is - land

tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis

Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor -

Rain on dis - tant hor -

*text used with permission of Nicholsonsongs

A

12

Then a dark - ness falls and the sea is lead - en - - - - -
 tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis -
 i - - - - - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - - - zon,
 i - - - - - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - - - zon,
 i - - - - - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - - - zon,

B

18

There's rain on dis-tant high - lands There's rain on dis-tant high - lands Whoa - - - - -
 tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Whoa - - - - -
 Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - - - zon, Whoa - - - - -
 Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - - - zon, Whoa - - - - -
 Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - - - zon, Whoa - - - - -
 Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - - - zon, Whoa - - - - -

23

Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa

23

27

C *p*

Whoa The whis - per of rain
Whoa *pp* Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis
Whoa *pp* Rain on
Whoa *pp* Rain on
Whoa *pp* Rain on

27

D

32

comes a-cross the sea Hear the wish of it in leaves

tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon

pp
Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon

dis - tant hor - i - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon

dis - tant hor - i - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon

38

— Soon rain - drops shine on trees and still not a wind has breathed

tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon, Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon,

zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon

dis - tant hor - i - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon

zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon

44 **E** **F** *p*

And still not a wind has breathed — And still not a wind has breathed Whoa

And still not a wind has breathed — And still not a wind has breathed Whoa

dis - tant hor - i - - zon Whoa

zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon. Whoa

dis - tant hor - i - - zon Whoa

44 *p*

49

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

49

53 G

mf Whoa The rain falls heav - i - er,
mf Whoa The rain falls heav - i - er,
mf Whoa Rain on dis - tant hor -
mf Whoa Rain on
mf Whoa Rain on dis - tant hor -

53

58

and down it comes Ooo...
 and down it comes Ooo...
 i - - - - - zon Rain on
 dis - - - - - tant hor - i - - - - - zon
 i - - - - - zon Rain on

58

61

Watch the gu - llies run...
 Watch the gu - llies run...
 dis - - tant hor - i - - - - zon
 Rain on dis - - tant hor - i - - - - -
 dis - - tant hor - i - - - - - zon

61

64

At last the wind_ is be-hind the rain_
 At last the wind_ is be-hind the rain_
 Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - zon Rain on dis - tant hor -
 zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - zon Rain on
 Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - zon Rain on dis - tant hor -

64

H
70

Hear on rooves how it drums. Hear on rooves how it drums.
Hear on rooves how it drums. Hear on rooves how it drums.
i - - - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - zon,
dis - tant hor - i - - - zon Rain on dis - tant hor -
i - - - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - zon,
i - - - zon Rain on dis - tant hor - i - - - zon,

I
75

Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa
Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa Whoa

p poco cresc.
p poco cresc.

79 *mf* *f*

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

79

83 **J** *f* *f*

The dry earth hun - gri - ly drinks and the land is

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mf Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain from the earth dry earth Rain!

mf Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain from the earth dry earth Rain!

mf Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain from the earth dry earth Rain!

83 *mf*

86

new a - gain So wild bush trees and
 new a - gain So wild bush trees and
 Rain from the earth dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain!
 Rain from the earth dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain!
 Rain from the earth dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain!

86

K

89

plants give thanks For wel - come rain
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 Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain!
 Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain!
 Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain!

89

93

For wel - come rain

Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth

Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth

Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth dry earth rain! Rain on the earth

93

97 **L**

And the trees give thanks for the wel - come

dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth

dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth Rain! Rain on the

dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth Rain!

97

M

100

rain. Whoa

rain. Whoa

dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth Rain! Whoa

earth dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth dry earth

Rain on the earth dry earth Rain! Rain on the earth

100

104

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Ah Whoa

Ah Whoa

104

114

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa ho Whoa ho Whoa ho Whoa ho

Whoa ho Whoa ho Whoa ho Whoa ho

114

118 **ff** Play 4 Times last time

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Whoa

Whoa Hoo! Whoa Hoo! Whoa Hoo! Whoa Ha! Whoa Ha!

Whoa Hoo! Whoa Hoo! Whoa Hoo! Whoa Ha! Whoa Ha!

118 **ff**

whistle