

# Wade in the Water

(for String Quartet)

African American Spiritual  
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**♩ = 106**

Violin I  
Violin II  
Viola  
Violoncello

**A**

Violin I  
Violin II  
Viola  
Vc.

**Lead**

Violin I  
Violin II  
Viola  
Vc.

**B**

Violin I  
Violin II  
Viola  
Vc.

2

17

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

*f*

*Lead*

21

C

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

*mp*

*mf*

3

25

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

*f*

*p*

*mf*

*p*

29

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

*ff*

*f*

*mp*

*mp*

*mf*

*Solo*

D

F#m

B7

33 C#7 C#m 3 F#m7 C# F#m B7

Vln.I  
Vln.II  
Vla.  
Vc.

37 F#m F#m C#m7 C#7(b9) E

Vln.I  
Vln.II  
Vla.  
Vc.

*Solo Break*  
*ff*  
*mf*  
*mp*  
*mf*

41 C#7 C#m F#m7 C# F#m B7

Vln.I  
Vln.II  
Vla.  
Vc.

45 F#m F#m C#m7 F#m F Solo Break B#p Solo F#m

Vln.I  
Vln.II  
Vla.  
Vc.

4 49

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

G#m7(b5) C#m7 F#m Bm F#m

53

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

G#m7(b5) C#7 F#m6 ff

**G**

*mf* *mf* *mf* *ff* *mf*

*Solo Break* *Solo*

57

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

C#m F#m7 C# F#m Bm

61

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

C#m F#m

*f* *mf* *mf*

65 **H** 5

Vln.I *mp*

Vln.II *mp*

Vla. *f*

Vc. *mp* *mf*

69

Vln.I

Vln.II

Vla.

Vc.

73 **I**

Vln.I *mp* *mf*

Vln.II *mp* *mf*

Vla. *mp* *mf*

Vc. *mp* *f*

77

Vln.I *f* *mp* *mf*

Vln.II *mp* *mf*

Vla. *f* *mp* *mf*

Vc. *f* *mp* *mf*

6 81 **J**

Vln.I *ff*

Vln.II *ff* *f*

Vla. *ff*

Vc. *f*

Vln.I *f*

Vln.II *ff*

Vla. *f*

Vc. *f*

89

Vln.I *mf* *rit.* *mp*

Vln.II *mf* *rit.* *mp*

Vla. *f* *mf* *rit.* *mp*

Vc. *f* *mf* *rit.* *mp*