

**Lion King Workshop**  
Piano/Vocal

# Circle Of Life

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SATB + soloist

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Freely (in 4)

**LION KING SOLOIST\***

Nan \_\_\_\_\_ ts'n go - nya \_\_\_\_\_ ma ba ki - thi ba - ba \_\_\_\_\_ ta le \_\_\_\_\_ la

**CHOIR WOMEN**  
**CHOIR MEN** *f* Si - thi hu ngo - nya - ma

Nan \_\_\_\_\_ ts'n - go - nya ma ba - ki - thi a - bo \_\_\_\_\_ hi - ya \_\_\_\_\_ hi \_\_\_\_\_ ya la la hoi yo

Si - thi hu ngo - nya - ma ngo - nya - ma

**TRANSLATION GUIDE**

Nants ingonyama bagithi Baba [Here comes a lion, Father]  
Sithi uhm ingonyama [Oh yes, it's a lion]

Nants ingonyama bagithi baba  
Sithi uhmmm ingonyama  
Ingonyama

Siyo Nqoba [We're going to conquer]  
Ingonyama  
Ingonyama nengw' enamabala [A lion and a leopard come to this open place]

**PRONUNCIATION GUIDE:**

Sih-tee-hoo n'goh-nyah-mah  
Ee-n'goh-nyah-ma-neng-way-nah-mah-bah-lah  
Ee-n'goh-nyah-ma-neng-way-way-mah

\*The "Lion King Soloist" part will be sung by a LION KING cast member at the workshop.  
This vocal line is for rehearsal only.  
Choir should learn the parts that are labeled "Choir Women" and "Choir Men"

11 si zo ngo ba - ba - ba - hi 12 hi - ya - ya 13 si - zo - ngo ba - ay

ngo - nya ma ngo - nya - ma ngo - nya - ma

14  $\text{♩} = 85$  15 16

I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la

*mf* I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la

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I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la From the

I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la

19 day we ar - rive on this pla - net 20 and 21 blink - ing step in - to the sun,

*mp* I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la

22 there is more to see 23 than can e - ver be seen, 24 more to

I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la

25 do than can ev - er be done. 26 Mm there is

I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo - nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la

27 far too much to take in here 28 29 more to find than can ever be

I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la

30 found. 31 But the sun rol - ling high 32 through the sap- phire sky keeps great and

I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la

33 small on the end - less round. 34 It's the cir - cle of

I - ngo-nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la I - ngo-nya - ma neng - w'e - na - ma - ba - la

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life and it moves us all \_\_\_\_\_

*f* I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma

I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la

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through des - pair and hope through faith and

I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma

I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la

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love till we find our place \_\_\_\_\_

I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma

I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la

44 on the path un - wind - ing \_\_\_\_\_ in the

I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma I-ngo-nya-ma neng we-we-ma

I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la

47 cir - cle \_\_\_\_\_ the cir - cle \_\_\_\_\_

I - ngo-nya - ma neng we-we-ma I - ngo-nya - ma neng we-we-ma

I - ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba - la I - ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba - la

49 of life \_\_\_\_\_

I - ngo-nya - ma neng - w'e-na-ma - ba - la I - ngo-nya - ma neng - w'e-na-ma - ba - la

51 *p* I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la 52 I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la 53 I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la

54 I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la 55 I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la 56 I-ngo-nya-ma neng-w'e-na-ma-ba-la

57 **LION KING SOLOIST\*** It's the cir - cle of life 58 **CHOIR WOMEN** It's the cir - cle of life 59 *f* I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la *f* I-ngo-nya ma neng w'e-na-ma ba-la

60 and it moves us all \_\_\_\_\_ 61 through de - spair and 62

and it moves us all \_\_\_\_\_ through de - spair and

I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la

63 hope \_\_\_\_\_ 64 through faith and

hope \_\_\_\_\_ through faith and

I - ngo-nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la I - ngo-nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la

65 love. \_\_\_\_\_ 66 till we find our place 67

love. \_\_\_\_\_ till we find our place

I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la I-ngo-nya ma nengw'e-na-ma ba-la



68 on the path un - wind - ing in the

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I - ngo - nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la I - ngo - nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la I - ngo - nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la

71 cir - cle the cir - cle of

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of

of

I - ngo - nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la I - ngo - nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la

73 life.

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life.

I - ngo - nya ma neng w'e - na - ma ba - la I - ngo - nya ma