

# Nine Hundred Miles

TB and Piano\*

Traditional American Folk Song  
Arranged by Greg Gilpin



(1) Dramatically ( $\text{d} = 84$ )

4 Opt. Solo

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**Performance Note:** All or a small group of singers may lightly clap their hands in an eighth note pattern, mimicking the sound of a train “click-clacking” on the track. Lightly accent on beats 1 and 3. This can be done throughout the piece or where desired.

Performance time: ca. 3:05

\*Also available: SAB (CGE234); Performance/Accompaniment CD (CGECD96).

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home. If this train runs me right, I'll be

10 (2)

home by Saturday night, 'cause I'm nine hundred miles from— my

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*end solo*

home.

T

B *mp* *crisp and rhythmic*

I'm walk - in', I'm walk - in', walk - in' down this track.

*mp*

14 *mp*

I am  
I'm walk - in, I'm walk - in, walk - in' down this track.

walk - in' down this track, I've got tears in my eyes. I'm

*p*

I'm walk - in, I'm walk - in, walk - in' down this track.

tryin' to read a let - ter from my home. If this

I'm walk - in, I'm walk - in, walk - in' down this track.

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train runs me right, I'll be home by Saturday night, 'cause I'm

I'm walk - in', I'm walk - in', walk - in' down this track.

22 (3)

nine hun-dred miles from my home.

I'm walk - in', I'm walk - in', walk - in' down this track. And I

24 *mf*

Hate to hear that whis - tle blow,

hate to hear that lone-some whis - tle blow, that

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long, lone - some train whis - tle, train whis - tle blow.

long, lone - some train whis - tle blow. And I

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Hate to hear that whis - tle blow,

hate to hear that lone - some whis - tle blow, that

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(4)

long, lone - some train whis - tle, train whis - tle blow.

long, lone - some train whis - tle blow.

32 B dim.

Miles and miles from home, miles from home.

34 Opt. Solo

Well, this  
Miles and miles from home.

Miles and miles from home.

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train that I ride on is a hundred coaches long. You can

Miles and miles from home.

Miles and miles from home.

Miles and miles from home.