

By an' By

Arranged by
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Andante

f
Oh by — an' by by — an' by

f *p* *f*

p
I'm goin' to lay down this heav - y — load. Oh by — an' by

p

by — an' by I'm goin' to lay down this heav - y load. I

Detailed description: This is a musical score for the song 'By an' By'. It is arranged by Harry T. Burleigh and is marked 'Andante'. The score is in 4/4 time and the key signature has one flat (B-flat). It consists of three systems of music. Each system includes a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part is written in grand staff notation (treble and bass clefs). The first system starts with a vocal line that begins with a rest, followed by the lyrics 'Oh by — an' by by — an' by'. The piano accompaniment begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The second system features the vocal line with lyrics 'I'm goin' to lay down this heav - y — load. Oh by — an' by'. The piano accompaniment starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic, then softens to piano (*p*) for the second measure, and returns to forte (*f*) for the third measure. The third system continues the vocal line with lyrics 'by — an' by I'm goin' to lay down this heav - y load. I'. The piano accompaniment remains at a piano (*p*) dynamic throughout this system.

f

know my robe's goin' to fit me well, ³ I'm goin' to lay down my

f *poco rit.*

heav - y load; I tried it on at the gates of Hell ³

a tempo

I'm goin' to lay down my heav - y load. Oh, by — an' by

by — an' by I'm goin' to lay down this heav - y load. Oh,

f

some - a these morn - in's bright an' fair, ³ I'm goin' to lay down my

f *poco rit.*

heav - y _____ load. Gon' to take - a my wings an' cleave the air, ³

poco rit.

pp *a tempo*

I'm goin' to lay down my heav - y load. Oh, by _____ an' by

pp *a tempo*

rit.

by _____ an' by I'm goin' to lay down this heav - y _____ load.

rit.