

## **Songs of the Civil Rights Movement**

### **WE SHALL OVERCOME**

We shall overcome / We shall overcome / We shall overcome some day

Chorus: Oh deep in my heart / I do believe / We shall overcome some day

We'll walk hand in hand / We'll walk hand in hand / We'll walk hand in hand some day

Chorus: Oh deep in my heart / I do believe / We shall overcome some day

We shall all be free / We shall all be free / We shall all be free some day

Chorus: Oh deep in my heart / I do believe / We shall overcome some day

We are not afraid / We are not afraid / We are not afraid some day

Chorus: Oh deep in my heart / I do believe / We shall overcome some day

We are not alone / We are not alone / We are not alone some day

Chorus: Oh deep in my heart / I do believe / We shall overcome some day

The whole wide world around / The whole wide world around / The whole wide world around some day.

Chorus: Oh deep in my heart / I do believe / We shall overcome some day

We shall overcome / We shall overcome / We shall overcome some day

### **OH FREEDOM**

Oh freedom, oh freedom, oh freedom over me

And before I'd be a slave I'll be buried in a my grave

And go home to my Lord and be free

No more mourning, no more mourning, no more mourning over me

And before I'd be a slave I'll be buried in a my grave

And go home to my Lord and be free

No more crying, no more crying, no more crying over me

And before I'd be a slave I'll be buried in a my grave

And go home to my Lord and be free

Oh freedom, oh freedom, oh freedom over me

And before I'd be a slave I'll be buried in a my grave

And go home to my Lord and be free

There'll be singin', there'll be singin', there'll be singin' over me

And before I'd be a slave I'll be buried in a my grave

And go home to my Lord and be free

Oh freedom, oh freedom, oh freedom over me

And before I'd be a slave I'll be buried in a my grave

And go home to my Lord and be free

### **KEEP YOUR EYES ON THE PRIZE**

Paul and Silas, Bound in jail, Got to money, For to pay the bail.

Keep your eyes on the prize, Hold on, hold on.

Chorus: Hold on, hold on, Keep your eyes on the prize, hold on.

The only thing we did right , Was the day we began to fight.

Keep your eyes on the prize, Hold on, hold on. Chorus.

The only thing that we did wrong, Stayed in the wilderness a day too long.

Keep your eyes on the prize, Hold on, hold on. Chorus.

The only chain that we can stand, Is the chain of hand in hand.

Keep your eyes on the prize, Hold on, hold on. Chorus.