

We Shall Overcome, lyrics

We Shall Overcome, we shall overcome  
We shall overcome someday.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome someday.

We are not afraid, we are not afraid,  
We are not afraid today.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome someday.

We are not alone, we are not alone  
We are not alone today  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We are not alone today.

The truth will make us free, the truth will make us free,  
The truth will make us free someday.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome someday.

We'll walk hand in hand, we'll walk hand in hand,  
We'll walk hand in hand someday.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome someday.

The Lord will see us through, the Lord will see us through,  
The Lord will see us through someday.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome someday.

Black and white together, Black and white together,  
Black and white together someday.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome someday.

We shall all be free, we shall all be free,  
We shall all be free someday.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe,  
We shall overcome someday.

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