

The Rising (🎵👦👧)

Bruce Springsteen Tribute by Sting

[Verse 1]

Can't see nothing in front of me
Can't see nothing coming up behind
Make my way through this darkness
I can't feel nothing but this chain that binds me
Lost track of how far I've gone
How far I've gone, how high I've climbed
On my back's a sixty pound stone
On my shoulder, a half-mile line

[Chorus]

Come on up for the rising
Come on up, lay your hands in mine
Come on up for the rising
Come on up for the rising tonight

[Verse 2]

Left the house this morning
Bells were ringing and filled the air
I was wearing the cross of my calling
On wheels of fire, I come rolling down here

[Chorus - students]

**Come on up for the rising
Come on up, lay your hands in mine
Come on up for the rising
Come on up for the rising tonight**

[La, la, la, la, la, la, la, la ...]

[Verse 3]

I see you Mary in the garden
In the garden of a thousand sighs
There's holy pictures of our children
Dancing in a sky filled with light
Sky of blackness and sorrow (Dream about it)
Sky of love, sky of tears (Dream about it)
Sky of glory and sadness (Dream about it)
Sky of mercy, sky of fear (Dream about it)
Sky of longing and emptiness (Dream about it)
Sky of fullness, sky of blessed life (Dream about it)

[Chorus - students]

**Come on up for the rising
Come on up for the rising now**

[La, la, la, la, la, la, la, la ...]

[Chorus - students]

**Come on up for the rising
Come on up for the rising now
Come on up for the rising...**