

# Murrumbidgee Water

Verse 1 ---> Chorus  
 Verse 2 ---> Chorus  
 Bridge  
 Verse 3 ---> Chorus (+ D chord)

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♩=120

Solo

Vc.

4 *Verse*

Solo

1. Born in the high - lands snows Wild in her youth's de - scen - ding  
 2. O - ver her years of floods, Cur - rent twis - ting wild and strong,  
 3. Sil - ver mist like hair, As the day is dawn - ing,

Vc.

6

Solo

Swift - ly she fills and grows Out of her flood plains, wind - ing and ben - ding  
 Chil - dren she made in the land, Creek and an - a branch, pond and bill - a - bong.  
 Marks the ri - vers way As we hunt on a win - ter's morn - ing.

(2nd & 3rd verses only)

Vc.

9

Solo

Fee - ding the tow - er - ing gums, Bush in creek and gul - ly  
 Bright on the wide flood plain Glints the rip - pl - ing wa - ters  
 Duck and cod from the stream Fruit and fun - gus, plant and seed,

11


Solo


Shar - ing her boun - ties wide, Spread - ing soil in plain and val - ley.  
 Proud - ly side by side, Flow the moth - er and the daugh - ter.  
 Kan - ga - roo on the plain, See, she gives us all we need.

Vc.

### Chorus

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Solo   
Murr - um - bid - gee fair, Murr - um - bid - gee fer - tile,

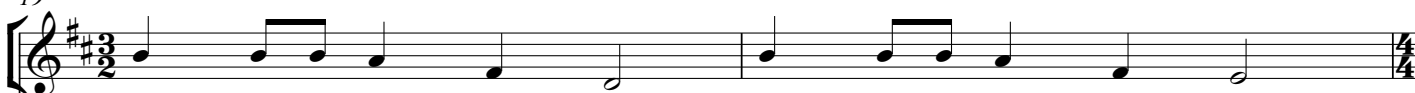
Vc. 


16

Solo   
Nur - tu - ring at your breasts we who walk here for a lit - tle while

Vc. 

19

Solo   
High on a ridge we - stand, gaz - ing in love and awe

Vc. 


21

Solo   
O - ver the lands you made \_\_\_ with your gen - tle hands, how rich the gifts you pour. \_\_\_

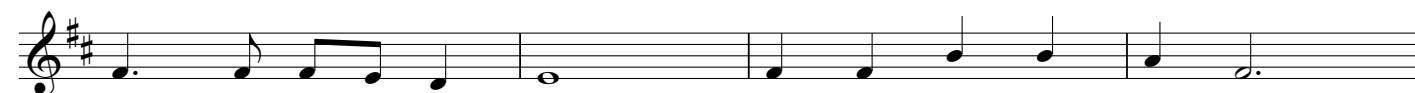
Vc. 


[1-2] [3. **Fine**]

### Bridge

Solo   
We have kno - wn the drought, \_\_\_ we have seen \_\_\_ her an - ger \_\_\_

Solo   
Hur - ling trees in her rage, \_\_\_ we've known thirst \_\_\_ & we've borne hun - ger

Solo   
Yet for those \_\_\_ who seek beau - ty waits in hi - ding \_\_\_

Solo   
In some sha - ded pools wait the fruits of her pro - vi - ding. \_\_\_

**D.S. al Fine**