

*From: "Newsies (1992)"*

## **Seize the Day**

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# SEIZE THE DAY

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Hymn-like

C                    G7                    C

O - pen the

Dm                    C

gates and seize the day. Don't be a - fraid and

B♭                    F                    C                    G/B                    Am

don't de - lay. Not - ing can break us. No one can

This musical score consists of three staves of music for voice and piano/guitar. The top staff uses a treble clef and a common time signature. It features three chords: C major (x o o), G7 (ooo), and C major (x o o). The middle staff uses a treble clef and a common time signature, with dynamics indicated as 'mf'. It features two chords: Dm (xxxo) and C (x o o). The bottom staff uses a bass clef and a common time signature. The vocal line includes lyrics: 'O - pen the', 'gates and seize the day. Don't be a - fraid and', and 'don't de - lay. Not - ing can break us. No one can'. Chords for the bottom staff are B♭, F, C, G/B, and Am. The score is annotated with various guitar chord diagrams above the staves.

2 Fm6/A♭ C/G G7 G $\sharp$ dim7 Am D7/F♯

make us give our rights a - way. A -

Brightly

C/G G7sus G7 C

rise and seize the day.

rit.

Now is the time to seize the day.

The musical score consists of four staves of music. The top staff features a treble clef and a bass clef, with chords Fm6/A♭, C/G, G7, G $\sharp$ dim7, Am, and D7/F♯ indicated above the staff. The lyrics "make us give our rights a - way. A -" are written below the notes. The second staff continues with chords C/G, G7sus, G7, and C, with the instruction "Brightly" placed above the notes. The lyrics "rise and seize the day." are written below the notes. The third staff shows a treble clef and a bass clef, with a ritardando (rit.) instruction. The fourth staff shows a treble clef and a bass clef, with the lyrics "Now is the time to seize the day." The bottom staff is mostly blank, with a few notes and rests.

*Newsies:* (Now is the time to seize the day.) *David:* Send out the call and join the fray.

*Newsies:* (Send out the call and join the fray.) *David:* Wrongs will be right - ed

if we're u - nit - ed. *All:* Let us seize the day.

Friends of the friend - less seize the day.

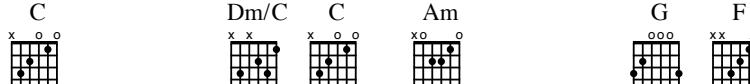
The musical score consists of three staves: a treble clef staff for the Newsies, a bass clef staff for the David part, and a bass clef staff for the bass part. The vocal parts sing in unison. Chords are indicated above the staff, such as B♭, F, C, Dm/C, G, F, G7, Am, and C. The bass part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

B♭ F



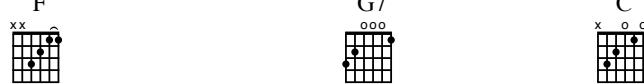
friends of the friend - less seize the day.) Raise up the torch and light the way.

C Dm/C C Am G F



(Raise up the torch and light the way.) Proud and \_ de - fi - ant we'll slay \_ the gi - ant.

F G7 C

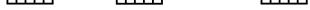


Let us \_\_\_ seize \_\_\_ the day.

Am C7/G F F G



— Neigh-bor to neigh - bor, \_\_\_\_\_ fa - ther to




Asus



A/C♯



Dm



C/E



son, \_\_\_\_\_ one for

F G C

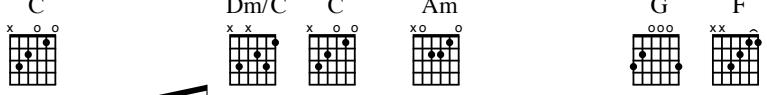
all and all \_\_\_\_\_ for one.

O - pen the gates and seize the day.

(O - pen the gates and seize the day.) Don't be a afraid and don't de - lay.

B♭ F

C                    Dm/C    C                    Am                    G                    F



(Don't be a-fraid and don't de-lay.)      Noth - ing \_ can break us.      No one \_ can make us

G7                    C                    Am                    C7/G



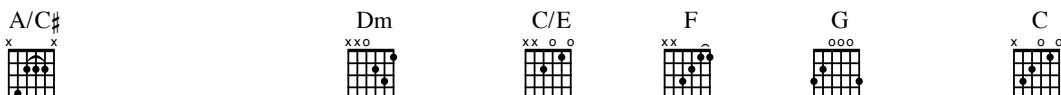
give our rights \_ a - way.      Neigh-bor to

F                    G                    Asus



neigh - bor,      fa - ther to son

A/C#                    Dm                    C/E                    F                    G                    C



one      for      all      and      all \_      for      one.

The music continues on the next page.