

Ev'rybody Oughta Know

by Harry Dixon Loes 1940, © New Spring
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The musical score is written for two voices and piano accompaniment. It is in the key of D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The melody features several triplet patterns. The lyrics are: "Ev'-ry bo-dy ough-ta know Ev'-ry bo-dy ough-ta know Ev'-ry bo-dy ough-ta know Ev'-ry bo-dy ough-ta know - - - what [free-dom] is! - - - what [free-dom] is, - - - what [free-dom] is! - - -".

Original song says: "Everybody oughta know who Jesus is"

The Civil Rights Movement made it a "zipper" song with

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