

Alto Saxophone

Were you there?

for Alto Saxophone & Organ

African American Spiritual

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♩ = 90

6 *Alto Sax. begins.*

mp

12

19 1.

26 *Alto Sax. ends.* 2.

mf

33 *f* 3 3

39 *rit.*

46 *A tempo*

mp

52

pp

The musical score is written for Alto Saxophone in 2/2 time. It begins with a tempo marking of quarter note = 90. The piece starts with a six-measure rest, followed by the saxophone entry at measure 6. The melody is primarily composed of quarter and eighth notes, with some longer note values. Dynamics range from mezzo-piano (mp) to fortissimo (f) and pianissimo (pp). There are two first and second endings at measures 19 and 26. The score concludes with a deceleration (rit.) and a final piano (pp) dynamic.