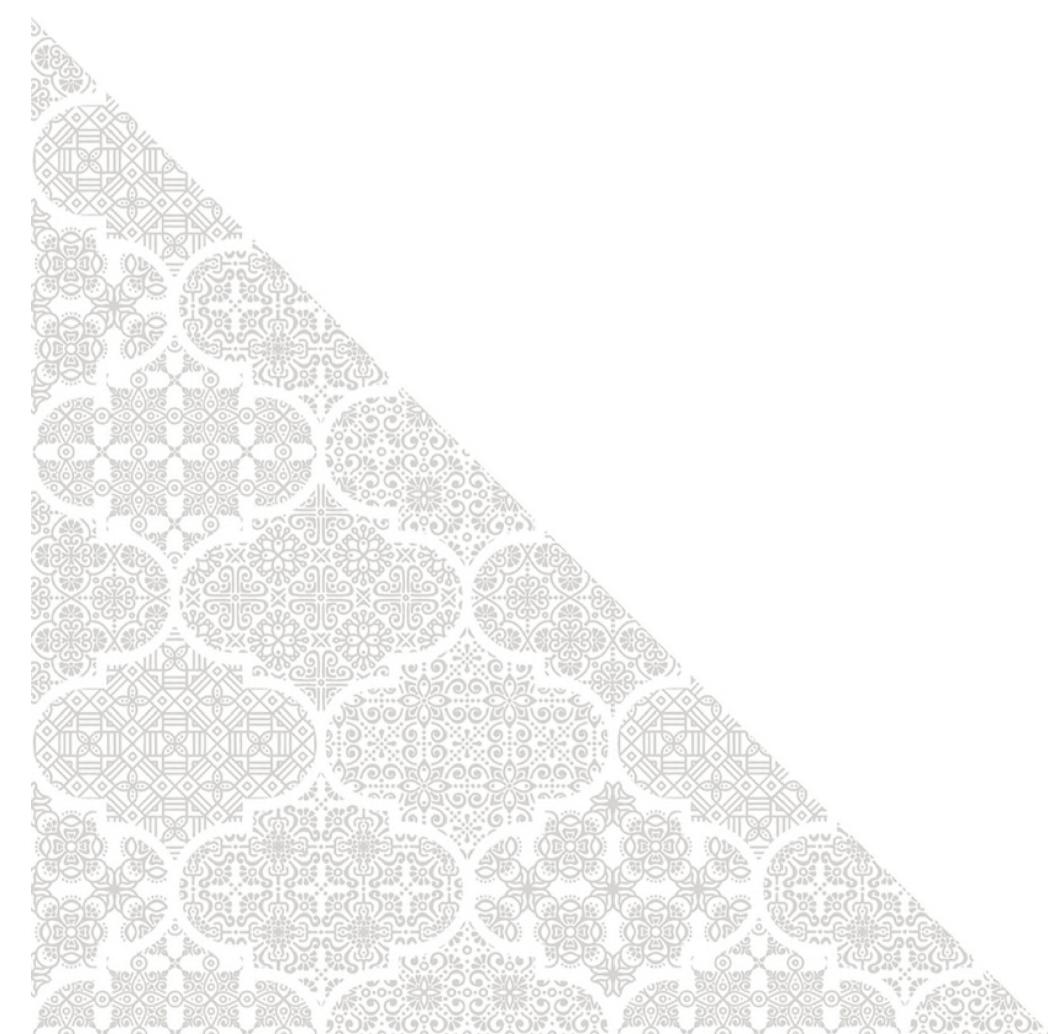


LQV1101

Le Quoc Vuong

Inh Lả Ông

SATB divisi
Unaccompanied



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Arranger's note

"Inh lả oi" is a traditional Vietnamese folk song that celebrates the beauty of nature, particularly the arrival of spring. The song is often associated with the Tày and Nùng communities, who are indigenous ethnic groups residing primarily in the Northwestern mountainous regions of Vietnam.

The phrase "Inh lả oi" itself doesn't have a specific meaning in Vietnamese but is used as an exclamation to express joy, excitement, or admiration. It's often paired with "sao noong oi" to create a rhythmic and melodic expression in folk songs. "Inh lả oi" is typically sung in a lively and energetic manner, reflecting the exuberance of spring and the beauty of the natural world. This song is often featured in community gatherings and celebrations, fostering a sense of togetherness and cultural identity.

Vietnamese Lyrics	English Translation
Inh lả oi	Inh la oi
Sao noong ời	Sao noong oi
Khắp núi rừng Tây Bắc sáng ngời	The mountains and forests of the Northwest are shining brightly
Mùa xuân đến ngàn hoa hé cười	Spring comes and thousands of flowers smile
Inh lả oi	Inh la oi
Sao noong ời	Sao noong oi

Inh La Oi

for unaccompanied SATB choir

Vietnamese folk song
Arranged by Le Quoc Vuong

35

S tm
A ah di di di di
T 8 Mua xuan den ngan hoa he cuoi
B tm tm

39 *f*

S Inh la oi sao noong oi.
A ah tm
T 8 tm
B tm tm

43

S Khap nui rung Tay Bac sang ngoi
A ah di di di di
T 8 tm
B tm tm

4
47

Soprano (S): mua xuan den ngan hoa he cuoi.

Alto (A): ah tm tm tm tm eh

Tenor (T): tm tm

Bass (B): tm tm

57

T -
B **p** Inh la_____ oi Inh la_____ oi

61

A -
T **p** Inh la_____ oi Inh la_____ oi
B Inh inh la_____ oi Inh inh la_____ oi

65

S -
A **p** Inh la_____ oi sao noong oi! Inh la_____ oi
T Inh la_____ oi
B Inh inh la_____ oi

69

S -
A **mp** sao noong oi! **mf** sao noong oi
T **mp** Inh la_____ oi **mf** Inh la_____ oi
B **mp** Inh inh la_____ oi **mf** Inh inh la_____ oi

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90 **p** tutti

S

A

Inh la_ oi sao noong oi

f Tenor solo

T

Eh

B

98

S

A

T

B

A musical score for soprano (S) in 108 time. The dynamic is marked as *mp*. The vocal line consists of four groups of eighth-note pairs, each followed by the lyrics "ah__". The notes are primarily on the second and fourth beats of each measure, with a slight rhythmic variation in the third measure.

Musical score for soprano (S) showing a melodic line with eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note patterns. The tempo is 112 and dynamic is *mf*. The vocal line consists of "eh" sounds.

112 *mf*

S

eh eh eh eh eh eh eh _____ eh eh eh eh eh eh eh eh

Soprano (S) Alto (A) Tenor (T)

116 ♩ = 116

Soprano (S) Alto (A) Tenor (T)

mf

mf

120 ♩ = 126

S

A

T

B

mf

10

Soprano (S)

Alto (A)

Tenor (T)

Bass (B)

127 *f*

Inh la oi Inh la oi

mf

ah ah ah di di di di

f

Inh la oi... *mf*

tm tm

131

Soprano (S): sao, noong, oi, sao, noong, oi?

Alto (A): ah, ah, ah, ah, tm, tm, tm, tm, eh

Tenor (T): sao, noong, oil...

Bass (B): tm, tm

139

S rung Tay Bac sang ngoi.

A ah ah ah ah tm tm tm tm eh

T — sang ngoi.

B Tm tm

143

S Mua xuan den ngan hoa he cuoi.

A ah ah ah ah di di di di

T Mua xuan den ngan hoa he cuoi.

B Tm tm

147

S Inh la oi (ho ho)

A ah ah ah ah tm tm tm tm eh

T —

B Tm tm

12

151

S

A

T Inh la oi...

B eh eh eh eh eh eh

155

S

A ah ah ah ah tm tm tm tm eh

T Inh la oi...

B eh eh eh eh eh eh

159

S

A ah ah ah ah di di di di

T Inh la oi...

B eh eh eh eh eh eh

163

Sao noong oi... sao

Ah ah ah ah tm tm tm eh ah ah ah

Inh la__ oi... sao

eh eh eh eh eh eh eh eh

168

noong____ oi... noong____ oi...____

ah sao noong oi...____

noong____ oi...____

sao noong oi...____