

HOME

For the Singapore Virtual Choir

Words and Music by Dick Lee Choral Arrangement by Darius Lim

ABOUT THE PROJECT

The Singapore Virtual Choir Project aims to provide a platform for Singaporeans all over the world to unite their voices through song. In a period that has plagued the world with uncertainty and doubt, the Virtual Choir Project hopes to bring a glimpse of hope through solidarity and unity. The video also hopes to provide comfort especially to Singaporeans who are unable to return home at this point of time due to quarantines or border restrictions, using the iconic song "Home" by Dick Lee. Choral snippets of the song are collected massively from ordinary and extraordinary Singaporeans, then woven professionally into an inspiring music video.

The project title *Gathering Home, as One* plays with a broader meaning of coming together as a Singapore family, and a more specific gathering of voices

— representing the unique gifts of diverse and individual Singaporeans

— to build a pandemic-resilient nation.

ABOUT THE ORGANISERS

Voices of Singapore is a not-for-profit arts organisation with a vision of promoting and building a Singing Singapore. Its mission is to empower and inspire Singaporeans to sing, create and learn through choral participation. The Voices of Singapore has a range of active performance ensembles, an education wing that provides top-quality singing education through the VOS Workshop series and the children's choir, and also has a research wing that in partnership with NUS, looks into preventing dementia through choral music. The Voices of Singapore Festival, Singapore's largest non-competitive choral competition began in 2016 and now brings together large networks of choral music enthusiasts. Its network spreads its reach from school choirs, to alumni groups, festivals and classes participants, and broader circles of singers.

<u>Createurs Productions Pte. Ltd.</u> is a video production firm based in Singapore. Its business covers the whole scope video production field including broadcast, Electronic News Gathering, theatre and drama, live-streaming, event videography and other video productions, marketing, and distribution.

<u>Pink Noise Pte Ltd</u> is an Exempt Private Company Limited by shares, incorporated on 23 March 2009 (Monday) in Singapore. It's key business is in the field of multimedia post-production (motion picture, video, and television) and music production. It's founder and director, George Leong, is a notable music producer with over 30 years of experience in the music and film industry.

Thank You for singing your heart out for Singapore.

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Lyrics

Verse 1

Whenever I am feeling low
I look around me and I know
There's a place that will stay within me
Wherever I may choose to go
I will always recall the city
know every street and shore
Sail down the river which brings us life
Winding through my Singapore

Chorus 1

This is home, truly
Where I know I must be
Where my dreams wait for me
Where that river always flows
This is home surely
As my senses tell me
This is where I won't be alone
For this is where I know its home

Verse 2

When there are troubles to go through
We'll find a way to start anew
There is comfort in the knowledge
That home's about its people too
So we'll build our dreams together
Just like we've done before
Just like the river which brings us life
There'll always be Singapore

Chorus 2

This is home, truly
Where I know I must be
Where my dreams wait for me
Where that river always flows
This is home surely
As my senses tell me
This is here I won't be alone
For this is where I know its home

Chorus 3

This is home, truly
Where I know I must be
Where my dreams wait for me
Where that river always flows
This is home surely
As my senses tell me
This is here I won't be alone
For this is where I know its home
For this is where I know its home
Home, Home!

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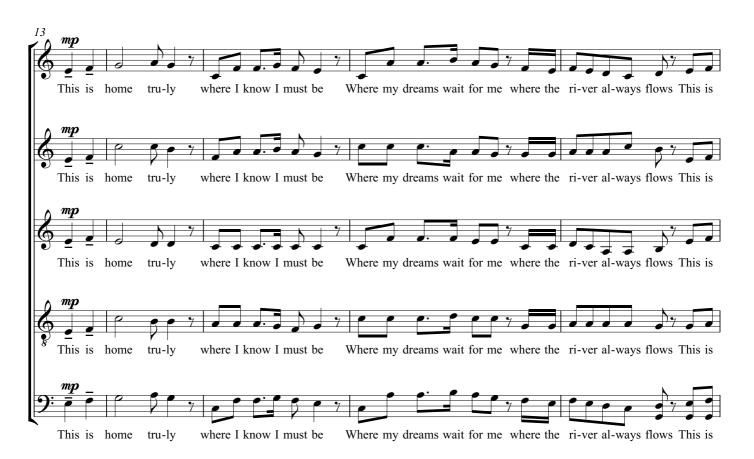


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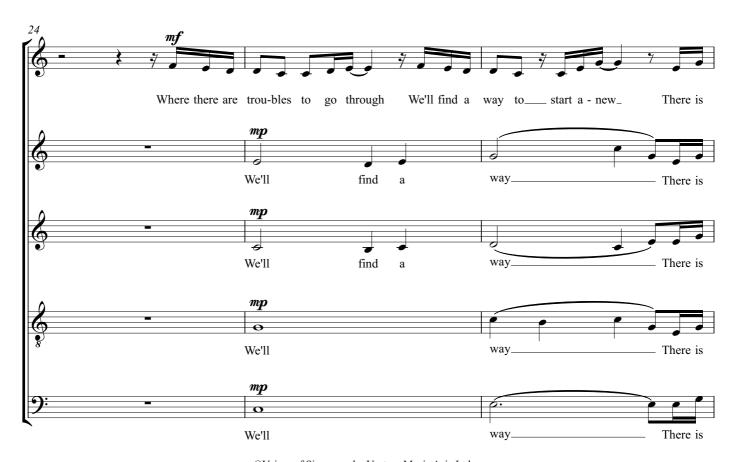












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