

# Follow the Drinking Gourd

VIOLA

African American Folk Song  
Arr. by Carrie Lane Gruselle

**Allegro**

The musical score is written for Viola in bass clef with a common time signature (C). It consists of 69 measures across ten staves. The piece begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic and an *Allegro* tempo. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and dynamic markings. Rehearsal marks are placed at measures 9, 20, 28, 36, 44, 52, and 62. The dynamics range from piano (*p*) to fortissimo (*ff*). The piece concludes with a *meno mosso* marking and a *rit.* (ritardando) leading to a final piano (*p*) dynamic.

2 *p* 3 4 5 *p* 6 7

8 9 10 11 4 *mp* 12 13 *p*

14 15 4 *mp* 16 17 18 19

20 21 22 23 24 25 26 *mf*

27 28 29 30 31 32 *f*

33 34 35 36 *p* 37 38 39 40 *mp* *p*

41 42 43 44 *p* 45 46 47 *mp* *mf*

48 49 50 51 52 *mf* *ff*

54 55 56 57 58 59 60

61 *p* 62 *meno mosso* 63 64 65 4 66 67 68 *rit.* *mp* 69 *p*

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