## **River Is Waiting**

## **Irma Thomas**

The river is waiting, come rise up A new day is coming, come rise up

They'll be sailing at first light, come gather Said I force for the crossing, together

Sail on, sail on, river, sail on Sail on, sail on, river, sail on

The river is waiting, I'm ready To step from this island, I'm ready Gonna leave all my sorrows, behind me Lift my face to a new day, I'm rising