

3. ENCLOSURE - CORN LAW

Music: Gary Daverne
Words: Ruth Hamilton

Piano

$\text{♩} = 128$

red. **Narrator:** *Many people lost their land and homes because of the Enclosure. The Corn Bill, greatly increased the price of bread.* *

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Women: *mp* En - clos - ure, Corn Law. En - clos - ure, Corn Law. En - clos - ure, Corn Law.

Men:

f **Solo Woman:** I sold my to son

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a chim - ney sweep. We were starv - ing. **Solo Man:**

En - clos - ure, Corn Law. En - clos - ure, Corn Law. En - clos - ure, Corn Law.

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Wo - man, your son is dead. He

En - clos - ure, Corn Law. En - clos - ure, Corn Law. En - clos - ure, Corn Law.

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fell.

En - clos - ure, Corn Law.

Narrator: *1816. It has rained. 1816. The crops have failed.*

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f Eight - een Six - teen. *p* Eight - een Six - teen. *cresc.* Eight - een Six - teen, Eight - een Six - teen,

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Eight - een Six - teen, Eight - een Six - teen, Eight - een Six - teen, Eight - een Six - teen,

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Solo Woman: With desperation

mf I can not a- ford to buy bread for my fam-i-ly. *p* *mf*

f Eight - teen Six - teen.

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Solo Woman: (Slow and Plaintive)

A little faster ♩ = 80

mf My hus - band is one of three hun - dred thous - and

Eigh - teen Six - teen.

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men, dis - missed from the force with - out a pen - sion. *ff* There is no work.