

Who Threw the Overalls
in
Mistress Murphy's Chowder

from
Ireland, a Little bit of Heaven

for S.A.T.B. a cappella

Original Text and Music by
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Freely
mp $\text{♩} = c. 100$ **Artistically Sloppy** *mp* *p*

Soprano
Here's a sto - ry of the Mis-tress Mur-phy's chow - der. Our school_ gave a par - ty just a -

Alto
Here's a sto - ry of the Mis-ress bon bon bon bon bon bon fa la la la

Tenor
8 Here's a sto - ry of the Mist-ress Mur-phy's chow - der. fa la la la

Bass
Here's a sto - ry of the Mist-ress bon bon bon bon bon bon bon bon

4 *mf* *mp*

S
bout a week a - go. E - very-thing was plen - ti - ful, our tea - chers are not slow. They

A
fa la la la fa la la our tea - chers are not slow.

T
8 fa la la la fa la la our tea - chers are not slow.

B
bon bon bon bon bon bon bon bon our tea - chers are not slow._____

7 *mp* *p* *mp* *p* *mp* *mp*

S
treated us kids like grown-ups, so_ we tried to be - have. On - ly for what hap-pened, well, it

A
p fa la la la fa la la la On - ly for what hap-pened, well,

T
8 *p* fa la la la fa la la la On - ly for what hap-pened, well,

B
p bon bon bon bon bon bon bon On - ly for what hap-pened, well,

10 *mf*

S was an aw - ful shame. When Mist-ress Mur - phy dished the chow - der out she fain ted on the s She

A fa la When Mis - ress Mur - phy dised the chow - der out the fain - ted on the s She

T fa la When Mist - ress Mur - phy dished the chow - der out faint ted on the s She

B bon bon shame. bon bon the chow - der, bon bon - ted,

13 *mp*

S found a pair of o - ver - alls at the bot - tom of the pot. Our Prin - ce was mad. His

A found a pair of o - ver - alls at the bot - tom of the pot. fa la la la

T found a pair o - ver - alls at the bot - tom of the pot. fa la la la

B bon o - ver - alls bon bon bon bon

16 *mp*

S eyes were ut. He jumped on the pi - a - no, and loud - ly he did shout.

A fa He jumped up on the pi - a - no, and he did shout.

T fa la He jumped up on the pi - a - no, and he did shout.

B bon bon He jumped up on the pi - a - no, bon bon he did shout.

19 *mf* *subito p*

S "Who threw the o - ver - alls in Mist - ress Mur - phy's chow - der?" No - bo - dy so he

A *mf* *subito p*
fa la la la fa la Oh, chow - der fa la la

T *mf* *subito p*
8 "Who threw the o - ver - alls in Mist - ress Mur - phy's chow - der?" No - bo - dy so he

B *mf* *subito p*
bon bon bon bon bon Oh, chow - der bon bon bon

22 *mf*

S shout - ed all the loud - er. "It's an I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the

A *mf*
fa la la an I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the

T *mf*
8 shout ed all the loud - er. "It's an I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the

B *mf*
bon bon bon "It's an I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the

25 *mp* *f* *p* *f* *mf*

S - ver - alls in Mist - ress Mur - phy's chow - der!" fa la la la fa la la la

A *mp* *p*
o - ver - alls in Mist - ress Mur - phy's chow - der!" fa la la la fa la la la

T *mp* *f* *p*
8 o - ver - alls in Mist - ress Mur - phy's chow - der!" fa la la la fa la la la

B *mp* *f* *mf*
o - ver - alls in Mist - ress Mur - phy's chow - der!" They dragged the pants from out the soup and laid them on the floor. We

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S fa la la la Oo... fa la la

A fa la la la Oo... Then we plas-tered up with mc nd were

T 8 fa la la la ne-ver seen them be-fore. They were plas-tered up with mc nd were

B swore up - on our lives we had ne-ver seen them be bon bon

p *mp* *mp*

32

S fa la la They had ma - ny ups and downs as we could plain - ly see. When

A worn out at the knee. They had their ma - ny ups and as we could plain - ly see. When

T 8 worn out at the They had their ma - ny ups and downs as we could plain - ly see. When

B bon bon bon They had their ma - ny ups and downs as we could plain - ly see.

m *mp* *mp*

35

S Mis tress ame she be - gan to cry and pout. She had them in the wash that day, and for-

A Mis tress ame she be - gan to cry and pout. She had them in the wash that day, and for-

T 8 Mis tress ame to, she be - gan to cry and pout. She had them in the wash that day, and for-

B bon bon bon bon bon cry and pout. bon bon bon bon bon

mf *mf* *mf*

38 *mp* *mp*

S got to take them out. Our Prin - ci - pal ex - cused him - self for what he said that night. So

A got to take them out. *p* fa la la la fa la So *mp*

T 8 got to take them out *p* fa la la la fa la So *mp*

B bon bon bon — bon bon bon bon bon bon bon So *mp*

41 *mf* *mf*

S we put mu - sic to the words and sang with all our might. "Who threw the overalls in

A we put mu - sic to the words, and all our might. *mf* fa la la la

T 8 we put mu - sic to the words, and our might. *mf* "Who threw the o - ver - alls in

B we put to the words, *mf* bon bon all our mihgt. bon bon bon bon

44 *subito p* *subito p*

S list y's chow - der. No - bo - dy spoke so he shout - ed all the loud - er. "It's an

A chow - der *subito p* fa la la la fa la la "It's an

T 8 Mist y's chow - der?" *subito p* No - bo - dy sopke so he shout - ed all the loud - er. "It's an

B bon *subito p* bon Oh, chow - der bon bon bon bon bon bon bon "It's an

47 *mf* *mp*

S I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's cho the

A I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's cho the

T I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's cho the

B I - rish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's cho the

51 *f*

S o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's chow - der." De - li - cious!?

A o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's chow - der." De - li - cious!?

T o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's chow - der." De - li - cious!?

B o - ver - alls in Mist - res - s Mur - phy's chow - der." De - li - cious!?

He sang a song about the Mistress Murphy's chowder...

Our school gave a party just about a week ago. Everything was plentiful, our teachers are not slow.
They treated us kids like grown-ups, so we had to behave. Only for what happened, well, it was an awful shame.

When Mistress Murphy washed the chowder out she fainted on the spot. She found a pair of overalls at the bottom of the pot.
Our Principal got ripping mad, his eyes were bulging out. He jumped upon the piano, and loudly he did shout.

"Who threw the overalls in Mistress Murphy's chowder?"
Nobody spoke so he shouted all the louder.

"It's an Irish trick that's true, and I will kick the brat who threw the overalls in Mistress Murphy's chowder.

They dragged the pants from out the soup and laid them on the floor. We swore upon our lives we had never see them before.
They were plastered up with tartar and were worn out at the knee. They had their many ups and downs as we could plainly see.

When Mistress Murphy she came to, she began to cry and pout. She had them in the wash that day, and forgot to take them out.
Our Principal excused himself for what he said that night. So we put music to the words, and sang with all our might.