

Better Times Will Come

Encourage improvised percussion exploration during verses,
starting people off with the 3-3-2 pattern that is notated.

Ideas: Different types of clapping - cupped hands/flat hands/fingertips;
clicks; knee-clap-clap; rubbing hands together; 'found' percussion such as wooden spoons etc.

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Tune

Bet-ter times, bet-ter times will come Bet-ter times, bet-ter times will come._

High

Bet - ter times. Bet - ter times.

Low

Bet - ter times. Bet - ter times.

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T

When this world learns to live as one,_ oh, bet-ter times will_ come. Bet-ter come. When we
Though we

H

When this world learns to live as one,_ oh, bet-ter times will come. come.

L

When this world learns to live as one,_ oh, bet-ter times will come. come.

10

Perc.

T

greet each dawn with out fear, know ing loved ones soon will be near. When the
live each day as our last. We know some day soon it will pass. We will

14

Perc.

T

winds of_ war cannot blow_ a - ny more oh, bet-ter times will come. Bet-ter
dance, we will sing in that ne - ver end-ing spring.