

Buffalo Soldier

Words & Music by Bob Marley & Noel Williams

Reggae swing

A



♩ = 100

mf

Buf - fa - lo sol - dier,
tak - en from Af - ri - ca,

F#m



A



dread - lock Ras - ta;
brought to A - mer - i - ca,

There was a buf - fa - lo sol - dier
fight - ing on ar - riv - al,

F#m



A



in the heart of A - mer - i - ca.
fight - ing for sur - viv - al. Said he was a

F#m



Stol - en from Af - ri - ca, brought to A - mer - i - ca;
buf - fa - lo sol - dier dread - lock Ras - ta,

A



fight - ing on ar - riv - al, in the
buf - fa - lo sol - dier

F#m



A



D



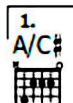
A/C#



fight - ing for sur - viv - al, I mean it. When I an - a - lyze the stench,
heart of A - mer - i - ca. If you know your his - to - ry,



to me it makes a lot of sense
then you would know where you're com - ing from.



how the dread-lock Ras - ta was the buf - fa - lo sol -
Then you would-n't have to ask me



- dier. And he was who - the heck do I think I am. I'm just a



buf - fa - lo sol - dier in the heart of A - mer - i - ca,



stol - en from Af - ri - ca,



brought to A - mer - i - ca. Said he was fight - ing on ar - riv - al,



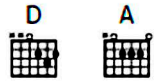
fight - ing for sur - viv - al. Said he was the



buf - fa - lo sol - dier, win the war for A - mer - i - ca.



Sing - ing: wo - yo - yo, wo - yo - yo - yo;



Wo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo; Wo - yo - yo, wo -



- yo - yo - yo; wo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo.



Buf - fa - lo sol - dier trod - ding through the land.

C#m



F#m



Said you wan - na run and then you make a stand. Trod - ding through the

D



C#m



A



land, _ yeah. Said he was a buf - fa - lo sol - dier,
Trod - ding through San Juan

F#m



A



win the war for A - mer - i - ca,
in the arms of A - mer - i - ca.

F#m



buf - fa - lo sol - dier, the dread - lock Ras - ta.
Trod - ding through Ja - mai - ca, the buf - fa - lo sol - dier.



Fight - ing on ar - riv - al,
 Fight - ing on ar - riv - al,



fight - ing for sur - viv - al, driv - en from the main - land

To Coda ⊕



to the heart of the Car - ib - be - an. Sing - ing:

Wo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo; wo - yo - yo - yo - yo -

1. D A 2. D A D.S. al Coda

yo - yo - yo. yo - yo - yo.

Repeat and fade

D A

⊕ Coda

Wo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo; wo - yo - yo - yo - yo - yo yo - yo.