I, Too

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1 I, too, sing America.

I am the darker brother.
They send me to eat in the kitchen
When company comes,

But I laugh,And eat well,And grow strong.

Tomorrow,
I'll be at the table

When company comes.
Nobody'll dare
Say to me,
"Eat in the kitchen,"
Then.

15 Besides,They'll see how beautiful I amAnd be ashamed—

I, too, am America.