

# Good King Wenceslas

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Soprano *mp*  
1. Good King Wen - ces - las looked out \_\_\_\_\_ On the feast of

Alto *mp*  
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Tenor

Bass

S <sup>5</sup>  
Ste - phen \_\_\_\_\_

A  
Ste - phen \_\_\_\_\_

T *mp*  
When the snow lay round a - bout \_\_\_\_\_

B *mp*  
When the snow lay round a - bout \_\_\_\_\_

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10

S

Bright-ly shone the moon that night

A

Bright-ly shone the moon that

T

8 Deep and crisp and e - ven . Bright-ly shone the moon

B

Deep and crisp and e - ven . Bright-ly shone the moon that

15

S

though the frost was cru - el. When a poor man came in

A

night, though the frost was cru - el. When a poor man came in

T

8 that night, though the frost was cru - el. When a poor man came in

B

night, though the frost was cru - el. When a poor man came in

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S  
sight Gath' ring win-ter fu - el.

A  
sight Gath' ring win-ter fu - el.

T  
8 sight Gath' ring win-ter fu - el. *mf* 2. "Hith-er, page, and

B  
sight Gath' ring win-ter fu - el. *mf* 2. "Hith-er, page, and

26

S

A

T  
8 stand by me, if thou knowst it tell - ing. Yon-der pea-sant, who is he? Where and what his

B  
stand by me, if thou knowst it tell - ing. Yon-der pea-sant, who is he? Where and what his

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32 *mf*

S "Sire, he lives a good league hence, un - der-neath the moun - tain. Right a - gainst the

A *mf*  
"Sire, he lives a good league hence, un - der-neath the moun - tain. Right a - gainst the

T  
8 dwell - ing?"

B  
dwell - ing?"

38 *Merrily* ♩ = ♪.

S for - est fence, by Saint Ag - nes' foun - tain."

A for - est fence, by Saint Ag - nes' foun - tain."

T  
8

B

3. "Bring me flesh and

3. "Bring me flesh and

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S

A

T  
8

B

bring me wine, bring me pine logs hith - er. Thou and I will  
bring me wine, bring me pine logs hith - er. Thou and I will

48

S

A

T  
8

B

see him dine when we bear them thith - er." Page and mon - arch,  
see him dine when we bear them thith - er." Page and mon - arch,

*f* Page and mon - arch,  
*f* Page and mon - arch,

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S  
forth they went, forth they went to - geth - er. Through the rude wind's

A  
forth they went, forth they went to - geth - er. Through the rude wind's

T  
8  
forth they went, forth they went to - geth - er. Through the rude wind's

B  
forth they went, forth they went to - geth - er. Through the rude wind's

56

S  
*fp* wild la - ment *f* And the bit - ter

A  
*fp* wild la - ment *f* And the bit - ter

T  
8  
*fp* wild la - ment *f* And the bit - ter

B  
*fp* wild la - ment *f* And the bit - ter

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Solemnly  $\text{♩} = \text{♩}$

59

S  
wea - ther. 4. "Sire, the night is dar - ker now, and the wind grows

A  
wea - ther. 4. "Sire, the night is dar - ker now, and the wind grows

T  
wea - ther.

B  
wea - ther.

*mp*

65

S  
strong - er. Fails my heart, I know not how, I can go no

A  
strong - er. Fails my heart, I know not how, I can go no

T  
strong - er. Fails my heart, I know not how, I can go no

B  
strong - er. Fails my heart, I know not how, I can go no

*mf*

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S long - er."

A long - er."

T *mf* "Mark my foot-steps, my good page, tread thou in them bold - ly. Thou shalt find the

B *mf* "Mark my foot-steps, my good page, tread thou in them bold - ly. Thou shalt find the

76

S

A

T *mf* win - ter's rage freeze thy blood less cold - ly."

B *mf* win - ter's rage freeze thy blood less cold - ly."

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*Jubilantly*

82 *f*

S 5. In his mas-ter's steps he trod, where the snow lay din - ted. Heat was in the ver - y sod

A 5. In his mas-ter's steps he trod, where the snow lay din - ted. Heat was in the ver - y sod

T 5. In his mas-ter's steps he trod, where the snow lay din - ted. Heat was in the ver - y sod

B 5. In his mas-ter's steps he trod, where the snow lay din - ted. Heat was in the ver - y sod

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S which the saint had print - ed. There-fore, ev'- ry - one, be sure, wealth and rank po-

A which the saint had print - ed. There -fore, ev' - ry -one, be sure, wealth and rank

T which the saint had print - ed. There-fore, ev' - ry - one, be sure, wealth and rank

B which the saint had print - ed. There-fore, ev'- ry - one, be sure, wealth and

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S *mf* - sess - ing: Ye who now will bless the poor, *f* Shall your-selves find

A *mf* po - sess - ing: Ye who now will bless the poor, *f* Shall your-selves find

T *mf* po - sess - ing: Ye who now will bless the poor, *f* Shall your-selves find

B *mf* rank po - sess - ing: Ye who now will bless the poor, *f* Shall your-selves find

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S *ff* bless - ing.

A *ff* bless - ing.

T *ff* bless - ing.

B *ff* bless - ing.