

## Soprano

## Christmas Suite (English)

for Soprano, Trumpet &amp; harpsichord

## I - Good King Wenceslas

Piae Cantiones (1582)

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I- Moderato (♩ = circa 75)

16

1 - Good King Wen - ces - las looked out, On the Feast of  
3 - 'Bring me flesh and bring me wine, Bring me pine logs

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Ste - phen, When the snow lay round a - bout, Deep, and crisp, and ev - en;  
hi - ther; Thou and I will see him dine. When we bear them thi - ther,

26

Bright - ly shone the moon that night, Though the frost was cru - el, When a poor man  
Page and mo - narch forth they went. Forth they went to - ge - ther; Throug the rude wind's

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came in sight, Gath' - ring win - ter fu - el. 2 - 'Hi ther, page, and stand by me,  
wild la - ment And the bit - ter wea - ther. 4 - 'Sire, the night is dark - er now.

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If thou know'st it, tell - ing, Yon - der pea - sant, who is he? Where and what his  
And the wind blows stong - er; Fails my heart, I know not how; I can go no


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dwell - ing?' 'Sire, he lives a good league hence, Un - der - neath the moun - tain,  
long - er, 'Mark my foot - steps, good my page; Tread thou in them bold - ly;

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Right a poor man came in sight, Gath' - ring win - ter fu - el, 5 - In his mas - ter's  
Thou shalt find the win - ter's rage Freeze thy blood less cold - ly.

53



steps he trod, Where the snow lay din-ted; Heat was in the ve-ry sod Which the saint had

This musical staff contains measures 53 through 58. It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes. The lyrics are: 'steps he trod, Where the snow lay din-ted; Heat was in the ve-ry sod Which the saint had'.

59



prin-ted. There-fore, Chris-tian men, be sure, Wealth or rank pos - ses-sing, Ye who now will

This musical staff contains measures 59 through 64. It continues the melody from the previous staff. The lyrics are: 'prin-ted. There-fore, Chris-tian men, be sure, Wealth or rank pos - ses-sing, Ye who now will'.

65



bles the poor, Shall your - self find bles - - - sing.

This musical staff contains measures 65 through 69. It concludes the phrase with a double bar line. The lyrics are: 'bles the poor, Shall your - self find bles - - - sing.'