

WINTER IS AT HAND

for S.S.A. voices and piano
with optional PianoTrax CD*

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Wistfully (♩ = ca. 100)

SOPRANO I
SOPRANO II

ALTO

PIANO

Wistfully (♩ = ca. 100)

p

3

p 5

When clouds ap -

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pear, — when wise men put on their cloaks, when *p* when

9

great leaves fall, the win - ter is at

great leaves fall, the win - ter is at

12

hand. When clouds ap - pear, — when *mp*

hand. When clouds ap - pear, — when *mp*

13

15

wise men put on their cloaks, when great leaves

wise men put on their cloaks, when great leaves

18

fall, the win - ter is at hand.

fall, the win - ter is at hand.

21

mf All may be well, all may be

mf All may be well, all may be

24

well; but if God sort it

well; but if God sort it

27

so, 'tis so much

so, 'tis so much

30

more than we de - serve

more than we de - serve

33

decresc.

decresc.

decresc.

or I ex - pect, when win - ter

or I ex - pect, when win - ter

36

poco rit.

a tempo
mp

poco rit.

a tempo
mp

is at hand.

is at hand.

39

When ⁴¹ clouds ap -

mp Clouds ap -

When clouds ap -

42 pear, — when wise men put on their cloaks, when

pear, — men put on their cloaks,

pear — when wise men put on their cloaks, when

45 great leaves fall, the win - ter is at

great leaves fall, the win - ter is at

great leaves fall the win - ter is at

decesc.

decesc.

decesc.

48 *poco rit.* 49 *a tempo* *mp*

hand. Un -

hand. *p*

hand. When the sun — sets, — who does not look for night?

poco rit. *p* *a tempo* *mp*

51 *poco rit.*

time-ly storms ___ make men de - spair of light. _____

mp

When

poco rit.

54 *a tempo* *cresc.*

When win - ter is at

cresc.

win - ter is at hand

When win - ter is at

a tempo *cresc.*

57 *poco rit.* 59 *a tempo* *mf*

hand. _____ All may be

mf

hand. _____ All may be

poco rit. *a tempo* *mf*

60

well, all may be well;

well, all may be well;

63

but if God sort it so,

but if God sort it so,

66

'tis so much more

'tis so much more

69

than we de - serve or I ex -

than we de - serve or I ex -

72

pect, when win - ter is at

pect, when win - ter is at

decresc. *poco rit.*

decresc. *poco rit.*

75

hand. Clouds ap -

hand.

a tempo mp 77

a tempo mp

78

SOP. II *only* + SOP. I

pear. — Men put on their cloaks. When

Men put on their cloaks. When

81

poco rit. e decresc. *p*

win - ter is at

decresc. *p*

win - ter is at

poco rit. e decresc. *p*

84

a tempo *rit.*

hand.

hand.

a tempo decresc. *rit.* *pp*