

SNOW ON SNOW

for 3-part mixed voices and piano
with optional PianoTrax*

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With quiet wonder (♩ = ca. 80)

PIANO

The piano introduction is in 4/4 time, marked *p*. It consists of two staves: a right-hand treble clef staff and a left-hand bass clef staff. The right hand plays a melodic line starting with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5, then a half note B4, and finally quarter notes A4, G4, and F4. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords: a half-note G2-B2, a half-note C3-E3, a half-note F3-A3, and a half-note G2-B2.

4 PARTS I & II *p* 5

This system shows the vocal entry for Parts I and II. The vocal line is on a single staff with lyrics: "Float-ing high a - bove the trees like a". The piano accompaniment is on two staves (treble and bass clef). The right hand plays chords: a half-note G4-B4, a half-note A4-C5, a half-note B4-D5, and a half-note A4-C5. The left hand plays a simple accompaniment: a half-note G2-B2, a half-note C3-E3, a half-note F3-A3, and a half-note G2-B2.

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This system continues the vocal and piano accompaniment. The vocal line has lyrics: "feath - er on the breeze, from the clouds to earth be -". The piano accompaniment continues with chords: a half-note G4-B4, a half-note A4-C5, a half-note B4-D5, and a half-note A4-C5. The left hand continues with the same accompaniment as in the previous system.

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PianoTrax 14 accompaniment CD available (48970). Visit alfred.com for digital scores and audio.

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low, fall-ing snow on snow on snow.

13 DESCANT *mp*

Snow _ on _ snow, snow _ on _

PART I *mp*
Snow _ on _ snow, fall - ing snow _ on _ snow on

PART II *mp*
Snow on snow on snow, fall - ing snow on snow on

PART III *mp*
Snow on snow on snow, snow on snow on

sn_{ow}. Snow _ on _ sn_{ow},

sn_{ow}. Snow _ on _ sn_{ow}, fall - ing

sn_{ow}. Snow on sn_{ow} on sn_{ow}, fall - ing

sn_{ow}. Snow on sn_{ow} on sn_{ow},

19 *rit.* *a tempo* *p* (rejoin section)

sn_{ow} on sn_{ow}.

rit. *a tempo* *p*

sn_{ow} on sn_{ow} on sn_{ow}.

rit. *a tempo* *p*

sn_{ow} on sn_{ow}.

rit. *a tempo* *p*

sn_{ow} on sn_{ow}.

rit. *a tempo* *p*

22 *mp* 23

Ev - 'ry sol - i - tar - y flake, none by

Ev - 'ry sol - i - tar - y flake, none by

p

Snow on snow.

mp

25

chance or by mis - take. All are part of life's de -

chance or by mis - take. All are part of life's de -

mp

snow on snow. All are part of life's de -

sign, each u - nique and each di - vine.

sign, _____ each u - nique and each _____ di - vine.

sign, _____ each u - nique and each di - vine. _____

31 DESCANT

Snow _ on _ snow, snow _ on _

Snow _ on _ snow, fall - ing snow _ on _ snow on

Snow on snow on snow, fall - ing snow on snow on

Snow on snow on snow, snow on snow on

34

snow. Snow on snow,
 snow. Snow on snow,
 snow. Snow on snow on
 snow. Snow on snow on

36

snow, snow on
 fall - ing snow on snow on
 snow, fall - ing snow on
 snow, snow on

rit. (rejoin section)

38 More motion (♩ = ca. 84)

snow. And I've come to un - der - stand that the
 snow. And I've come to un - der - stand that the
 snow. And I've come to un - der - stand

More motion (♩ = ca. 84)

(8)

40 snow will van - ish in my hand. E - ven *cresc.*
 snow will van - ish in my hand. E - ven *cresc.*
 that the snow will van - ish in my hand.

(8)

42

mf

though I wish the flakes would stay, _____ all too

mf

though I wish the flakes would stay, _____ all too

cresc. *mf*

E - ven though I wish the flakes would stay, all too

(8)

cresc.

44

rit. e decresc.

soon they melt a - way.

rit. e decresc.

soon they melt a - way.

rit. e decresc.

soon they melt a - way.

mf *rit. e decresc.*



46 Tempo I (♩ = ca. 80)

p *poco cresc.*
 Fall - ing snow on snow on
p *poco cresc.*
 Fall - ing snow on

Tempo I (♩ = ca. 80)

p *poco cresc.*

49 DESCANT

mp
 Snow on snow,
mp
 snow. Snow on snow, fall - ing
mp
 snow. Snow on snow on snow, fall - ing
mp
 Snow on snow on snow,

mp

52 *rit.* *a tempo*
p (rejoin section)

snw on snw.

snw on snw on snw.

snw on snw.

snw on snw.

snw on snw.

snw on snw.

rit. *a tempo*
p

55 *rit.* ***pp***

Snow on snow.

Snow on snow.

Snow on snow.

Snow on snow.

Snow on snow.

rit. ***pp***

