

Good King Wenceslas

www.sheetmusicdigital.com

Words and music by:
John. M. Neale

F B \flat F

Good King Wen - ces - las looked out, On the feast of Ste - phen,

The first system of music for 'Good King Wenceslas' is in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of two staves: a treble staff with a vocal line and a bass staff with a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are 'Good King Wen - ces - las looked out, On the feast of Ste - phen,'. Chord symbols F, Bb, and F are placed above the first, second, and third measures respectively.

5 B \flat C 7 F

When the snow lay 'round a - bout, Deep and crisp and e - ven;

The second system of music continues the piece. It starts at measure 5. The lyrics are 'When the snow lay 'round a - bout, Deep and crisp and e - ven;'. Chord symbols Bb, C7, and F are placed above the second, third, and fourth measures respectively.

9 C 7 Dm B \flat F

Bright - ly shone the moon that night, Though the frost was cru - el,

The third system of music continues the piece. It starts at measure 9. The lyrics are 'Bright - ly shone the moon that night, Though the frost was cru - el,'. Chord symbols C7, Dm, Bb, and F are placed above the first, second, third, and fourth measures respectively.

13 C 7 F C 7 F C 7 F B \flat F

When a poor man came in sight. Gath - 'ring win - ter fu - - el.

The fourth system of music concludes the piece. It starts at measure 13. The lyrics are 'When a poor man came in sight. Gath - 'ring win - ter fu - - el.'. Chord symbols C7, F, C7, F, C7, F, Bb, and F are placed above the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth measures respectively.

2 Good King Wenceslas

18

B^b

C⁷

"Hith - er, page, and stand by me, If thou know'st it

21 F

B^b

C⁷

tell - ing, Yon - der peas - ant, who is he? Where and what his

25 F

Dm

B^b

C⁷

F

dwel - ling?" "Sire he lives a good league hence, Un - der - neath the moun - tain;

30

C⁷

F

C⁷

F

C⁷

F

B^b

F

Right a - gainst the for - rest fence, By Saint Ag - nes' foun - - tain.