

Song for a Winter's Night

For Lindsay - my wife

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Serenely $\text{♩} = 64$

p floating head-tone *mp*

Oo

p

Oo

p

Oo

p

Oo

mp

Oo

A *sostenuto*

dr

dolce

Tb

The lamp is bur-ning low_ up-on_ my ta - ble-top_ The snow is soft - ly

The lamp is bur-ning low_ up-on_ my ta - ble-top_ The snow is soft - ly

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17

T1
doo doo doo doo doo doo

T2
doo The air is still in the ri-lence of my room

Bar.
fall-ing doo doo doo The air is still lence of my room

B.
fall-ing doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

Pno.

23

T1
mp **B** I hear your voice soft ig If I could on - ly have you

T2
mp melody I hear your vo' call-ing If I could on - ly have you

Bar.
mp I hear soft - ly call-ing doo doo If I could on - ly have you

B.
mp doo doo doo doo doo If I could on - ly have you

Pno.

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30 *mf*

T1 near to breathe a sigh or two I would be

T2 near to breathe a sigh or two I would be

Bar. near to breathe a sigh or two I would, I wold be

B. near to breathe a sigh or I would, I wold be

Pno.



36

T1 hap-py just to hold the hands I love On this win-ter's night with you. da da

T2 hap-py just to hold the hands I love On this win-ter's night with you.

Bar. hap-py just to hold the hands I love On this win-ter's night with you. da da

B. hap-py just to hold the hands I love Doo doo doo doo

Pno.

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42

T1 *mp*
da__ da da__ da da da__ da da__ da__ da__ da

T2 *mp*
doo da__ da da da__ da da__ da__ da__ da

Bar. *mp*
da__ da doo doo doo doo

B. *mp*
doo doo doo da__ da doo doo

Pno.

48 **C** *mp*

T1 *mp*
da The smoke -ing in__ the sha- dows ov - er-head__ My glass is

T2 *mp*
da is ris-ing in__ the sha- dows ov - er-head__ My glass is

Bar. *mp*
doo The smoke is ris-ing in__ the sha- dows ov - er-head__ My glass My glass is

B. *mp*
The smoke is ris-ing in__ the sha - dows ov - er-head__ My glass is

Pno.

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54

T1 al - most emp-ty_ doo doo_ I read a - gain be-tween the lines__ up - on the page

T2 al - most emp-ty_ I read a - gain be-tween the lines__ up - on the page

Bar. al - most emp- I read a .een the lines__ up - on the page

B. al - most emp - ty doo doo_ I read .in be-tween the lines__ up - on the page

Pno.



60

T1 *mf* **D**
The word you sent me If I could know with - in my

T2 *mf* melody
love you sent me doo doo_ If I could know with - in my

Bar. *mf*
Th words of love you sent me doo doo_ If I could know with - in my

B. *mf*
The ords of love you sent me doo doo_ If I could know with - in my

Pno.

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68

T1 heart that you were lone - ly too. I would be hap-py just_ to hold

T2 heart that you were lone - ly too. I would be hap-py just_ to hold

Bar. heart that you were lone - ly too. I would be hap-py just_ to hold

B. heart that you were lone - ly too. I would, I would be hap-py just_ to hold

Pno.

75

T1 _ the hands I love_ On this win-ter's night_ with you da_ da da_ da

T2 _ the hands I love On this win-ter's night_ with you. doo

Bar. _ the han' On this win-ter's night_ with you da_ da da_ da

B. _ the hands love_ Doo doo doo doo doo

Pno.

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81

T1
da da da da da da da da da

T2
da da da da da da da da da

Bar.
doo doo doo doo doo doo

B.
doo doo da da doo doo

Pno.

87

E *with hushed intensity*

T1
pp
The fire is dy-ing amp is grow-ing dim The shades of night are

T2
pp
The fire is the lamp is grow-ing dim The shades of night are

Bar.
pp
The f ing the lamp is grow-ing dim The shades of night, of night are

B.
f
The fire is dy-ing the lamp is grow-ing dim The shades of night are

Pno.

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93

T1 lift - ing The morn - ing light steals a - cross my win - dow pane

T2 lift - ing. The morn - ing lights my win - dow pane.

Bar. lift - ing. The morn - ing lights my an - dow pane where

B. lift - ing The morn - ing lights win - dow pane where

Pno.

mf *mf* *mp* *mf* *mp*

99

T1 where webs of snow If I could on - ly have you

T2 where webs of drift - ing. da da If I could on - ly have you

Bar. webs, where w are drift - ing. da da If I could on - ly have you

B. webs of snow da - da da da If I could on - ly have you

Pno.

mp *mf* **F** *mf* *mf* *mf*

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106

T1 near to breathe a sigh or two I would be

T2 near to breathe a sigh or two I would be

Bar. near to breathe a sigh or two I would, I wold be

B. near to breathe a sigh or I would, I wold be

Pno.



112

T1 Ah hap-py just to hold r .ove On this win-ter's night with you

T2 hap-py just to h .ands I love On this win-ter's night with you

Bar. hap-py jus' the hands I love On this win-ter's night with you

B. hap-py just to hold the hands I love Doo doo doo doo Ah

Pno.

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118

T1
And to be once a-gain with you. (Oo)

T2
And to be once a-gain with you. (Oo)

Bar.
And to be once a-gain with you. da da da doo

B.
And to be once a-gain with you. da da doo

Pno.



127

T1
p *pp*

T2
pp

Bar.
pp

B.
p *pp*
do hi.

Pno.
rit.