

Good King Wenceslas

Arr. Henry Bramley & John Stainer, 1871

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1. Good King Wen - ces - las looked out, on the feast of
 2. "Hith - er page, and stand by me, if thou know - est,
 3. "Bring me flesh, and bring me wine, bring me pine - logs
 4. "Sire, the night is dark - er now, and the wind blows
 5. In his mas - ter's steps he trod, where the snow lay

G G D

Ste - phen, When the snow lay round a - bout,
 tel - ling: Yon - der pea - sant, who is he?
 hith - er. Thou and I will see him dine
 strong - er; Fails my heart, I know not how;
 din - ted; Heat was in the ver - y sod

C G G

deep and crisp and ev - en: Bright - ly shone the
 where and what his dwel - ling?" "Sire he lives a
 when we bear them thith - er." Page and mon - arch,
 I can go no long - er." "Mark my foot - steps,
 which the saint hath print - ed. There - fore, gen - tle -

Em C G

moon that night, though the frost was cru - el,
 good league hence, un - der - neath the moun - tain,
 forth they went, forth they went to - geth - er,
 good my page, tread thou in them bold - ly;
 folk, be sure, wealth or rank pos - ses - sing,

GOOD KING WENCESLAS

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When a poor man came in sight,
 Right a - gainst the for - est fence,
 Through the rude wind's wild la - ment
 Thou shalt find the win - ter's rage
 Ye who now will bless the poor,

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gath - 'ring win - ter fu - - - el.
 by St. Ag - nes' foun - - - tain."
 and the bit - ter wea - - - ther.
 freeze thy blood less cold - - - ly."
 shall your - selves find bles - - - sing.

The Feast of Stephen, or St. Stephen's Day, is December 26.