

The Snow It Melts The Soonest

TTBB a cappella and Solo T

Lyrics: Trad. Britain

Music: British folk song
Arrangement: Winnie Brückner

rubato
Solo *mf*

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T 1
8 The snow it melts... the soo-nest when the wind be-gins to sing;

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8 And the corn it ri - pens fas-test when the sun is set - ting...

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8 And when a young girl tells me that her face she'll soon - get; Be -

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T 1 fore we part, I had a town, she's com - ing to fol - low't
mp

T 2
8 Mmh, mmh, mmh...

B 1
8 Mmh, mmh, mmh...

B 2
8 Mmh, mmh, mmh...

19 **B** $\text{♩} = 112$ *Tutti mf*

8 yet. Oh, the

8 gung, gung, doo doo doo doo, gung gung, doo doo doo doo,

mf
8 Gung gung gung, doo doo

Mmh...

* Pronunciation: gung [gʊŋ] / da [da], la [la], ya [ja], a [a] – open vowel / le [le:]

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snow it melts the soonest when the wind begins,

gung gung, doo doo doo doo, gung gung, doo doo doo doo,

gung, goo gung, doo doo gung gung, doo doo

mf
Gung gung goo gung

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And the swallow skins without a thought as

gung gung, doo doo doo gung gung, doo doo doo doo,

gung, goo gung, doo doo gung gung, doo doo

gung gung, doo doo gung gung, goo

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long as it is spring; But when spring goes and

gung gung, gung gung, doo doo doo doo, gung goo gung,

gung gung, doo doo gung gung, gung, goo

gung doo doo gung, goo gung gung, gung, goo

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win - ter blows, my lass, and ye'll be fain; For

doo doo doo doo, gung_ gung, gung_ gung, doo doo loo doo,

gung, doo doo gung gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_ gung

gung, doo doo gung gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_

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all your pride, to fol - low me were't cross the stor my lane.

gung_ gung, doo doo doo doo doo doo, gung gung,

gung, doo doo gung_ goo gung gung_ gung, goo

gung, gung, gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_ gung_

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nn la da da da, la dn

doo doo doo, gung_ gung. La la la la la la la la la

gung, doo doo gung_ gung_ gung_ gung. La la la le ya, la

gung gung, goo gung. La la, la

D *mf*

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da da da ya, la da dn da.

la la la da, gung gung, doo doo doo doo gung gung,

la la la la gung doo doo doo doo gung goo

la, doo doo gung gung gung, gung gung

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La da da da la la la la la la la. La la

la la la la la la la la la la la la la la. La la la la

gung. La la la la ya. La la

gung gung. la la. La la la

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E

la la la la da. Dm mn a dm n a, dm a dm a

la la, la la la, la da dn da.

la la la la, la la. la la la la la la.

la la da da la da da la la la la da dn

64 *mf* F *p*

dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm. Dm mn a dm mn a dm a

mf *p*

Dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm. Dm mn a dm mn a dm a dm a

mf *p*

Dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm. Dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a

mf

da. _____ The _____ the _____ nest when the

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dm mn a dm mn a dm, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a

dm mn a dm mn a dm, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a

dm mn a dm mn a dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a

wind be-gin-ning; And the bee that flew when sum-mer shined in

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dm mn a dm mn a dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a

dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a

dm mn a dm mn a dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a

win - ter can - not sting, can - - not sting. I've

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dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a dm mn a mn a dm mn a, dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a dm mn a, seen a young girl's an - ger melt - be - fore the sun and moon,

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dm a dm a dm mn a mn a, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, night morn; And it's sure - ly not a

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dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a dm mn a dm mn a, dm a dm a dm a dm mn a dm mn a dm mn a dm mn a dm mn a, doo doo, a dm a dm mn a dm mn a, doo doo doo doo har - der thing to tame a young girl's scorn. Doo

88 *mf* *f* **G**

dm mn a dm mn a dm a dm. Oh ne - ver... m - fare - well here, no

doo doo doo doo. doo doo doo doo,

doo, doo doo. Oh... say me fare - well here, no

doo, doo doo doo doo, doo doo, doo doo

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fare-well I re - ceive; For you shall set me to the stile, and

doo doo, doo doo, doo doo, doo doo, doo doo doo doo,

fare - well I re - ceiv... For you shall set me to the stile and

doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo, doo doo

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kiss and take your But I'll stay here till wood-cock comes, and

doo doo, doo doo, doo doo doo doo, doo doo doo, doo doo doo doo,

kiss and your love, doo doo; But I'll stay here till wood-cock comes, and

doo, doo doo, doo doo doo doo doo, doo doo, doo

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mart - let takes his wing; ... w it melts the
 doo doo, doo doo, doo doo, doo doo; Since the snow it melts the
 mart - let takes his wing, doo doo doo doo; Since the snow melts the
 doo doo doo, Since the snow it melts the

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soo - nest when the wind be - to sing.
 soo - nest when the wind be - gins gung gung, doo doo doo doo,
 soo - nest when the - gins sing; gung
 soo - nest when the be - gins to sing; goo gung, doo doo

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Hah nn la da da da, da dn da da da ya.
 gung La la la la la la la la la la
 gung, goo gung gung. La la la le ya, la la la
 gung gung gung. La la, la la,

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Since the snow it melts the soonest when the wind begins to

la la da, gung gung, doo doo doo gung,

la la gung gung gung gung, goo gung gung

la la gung, goo doo doo doo gung goo

mp

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sing, la da da da la da da da ya, Since the

la la la la la la la, doo doo doo doo

gung, gung, la la la ya, la la la la, doo

gung, la la la, doo doo

mf

rit. Solo

124 *rubato* *al lib.**

T 1 Solo snow melts the soonest when the wind begins to sing.

T 1 Mmh.

T 2 gung Mmh.

B 2 gung Mmh.

gung.

P

*) Solo or T 1 divisi

