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King Winter

About the artist

"Cold and Fugue Season" is my best-seller signature choral piece. I am a published and active composer (ASCAP) of choral, piano, organ, Boomwhackers® Musical Tubes and easy instrumental works. As a piano and classroom teacher I have written many pieces for my students, including whole musicals, and choral and keyboard originals/arrangements for church and worship settings that I would now like to share. I hope you will enjoy the music and would appreciate your comments.

Qualification: Bachelor of Arts in Music Theory and Composition
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About the piece

Title:	King Winter
Composer:	Foncannon, Ellen
Arranger:	Foncannon, Ellen
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Publisher:	Foncannon, Ellen
Instrumentation:	Choral SAB
Style:	Secular
Comment:	King Winter is a humorous winter concert SAB piece with lyrics adapted from a Hugh Chesterton poem. A three part canon repeats the command "Away with the winter, away with the cold" and successfully overthrows King Winter's hold. Teaching elements include chromatic passages, minor to major key changes and telling a story through music with dramatic dynamics. The Greensburg, Kansas high school choir received top ratings at contest with this piece.

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King Winter

Lyrics adapted from Hugh Chesterton
Allegro moderato

SAB

Ellen Stephenson Foncannon

mf King

Lightly detached

mp

5

Win - ter sat in his hall one day, and said to him-self said he,

Win - ter sat in his hall one day, and said to him-self said he,

f I

5

mf

9

mp I've chilled the earth and cooled the sun *f* and

mp I've chilled the earth and cooled the sun *f* and

must ad - mit I've had some fun. I've chilled the earth and cooled the sun and

mp

9

mp

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13 not a flow'r or tree but wish-es my reign were done. -

not a flow'r or tree but wish-es my reign were done.

not a flow'r or tree but wish-es my reign were done.

13 *mf*

17 *mf* *cresc.*

A - way with the win - ter, a - way with the cold. Don't come a-round here no *cresc.*

A - way with the win - ter, a - way with the snow. Don't

A - way with the win - ter, a -

17 *mf* *f*

8vb - - - - -

21

more. A - way with the ice, a - way with snow. Go, King Win - ter,

come a-round here no *cresc.* more. A - way with the ice, a - way with snow.

way with the cold. Don't come a-round here no more. A - way with the ice. A -

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go, go!

Go, King Win - ter, go, go!

But as long as Time and
mf

way with snow. Go, King Win - ter go! But as

25

29

mf

I'll go on mak - ing ev - ery one as cold

Tide shall run, I'll go on mak - ing ev - ery one as cold

long as Time and Tide shall run, I'll go on mak - ing ev - ery - one as

cresc.

29

33

sub. mp

as cold can be."

sub. mp

as cold can be."

cold can be."

mf

33

37 *mf* There came a knock at the out - er door. *ppp*

Knock, knock, *f*
"Who's there?" King Win - ter

37 *mp*

41 *f* emphatically "O - pen your Pa - lace Gate," said Spring, "for
who's there? *f* emphatically O - pen your Pa - lace Gate," said Spring, "for
cried. *f* emphatically O - pen your Pa - lace Gate," said Spring, "for

41

44 you can reign no more as King, nor long - er here a -
you can reign no more as King, nor long - er here a -
you can reign no more as King, nor long - er here a -

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47 *mf*
bide. *mf* The trees are green, the
bide. This mes - sage from the sun I bring. The trees are green, the
bide. *mf* This mes - sage from the sun I bring, the

51 *cresc.*
birds do sing. The hills with joy are ec - ho - ing so
birds do sing. The hills with joy are ec - ho - ing so
birds do sing. The hills with joy are ec - ho - ing so

54 *mf*
pray, sir, step out sub, mp side! A -
pray, sir, step - a - way with the win - ter, a -
pray, sir, step out - side!

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way with the win - ter, a - way with the snow. Don't come a - round here no
way with the snow. *mf* Don't come a - round here no more. A -
A - way with the win - ter, a - way with the cold. Don't

60

more. A - way with the ice, a - way with the snow so
way with the ice. A - way with the cold, so go, King Win - ter,
come a - round here no more. A - way with the ice. A -

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go, King Win - ter. *f* Go, King Win - ter, go!
go, go, *f* go, King Win - ter, go!
way with the snow so go, King Win - ter, go!