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30. IN THE BLEAK MID-WINTER (ii)

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Moderato PN

SOPRANO
ALTO

T-Dur
Tempo

1. In the bleak mid - win - ter Frost - y wind made moan,
 2. God, heav'n can - not hold him. Nor earth sus - tain;
 3. An - gels and arch - an - gels May have ga - thered there,
 4. What can I give him, Poor as I am?

TENOR
BASS

Earth stood hard as i - ron. Wa - ter like a stone;
 Heav'n and earth shall flee a - way When he comes to reign.
 Che - ru - bim and se - ra - phim Throng - ed the air -
 If I were a shep - herd I would bring a lamb;

downward

Snow had fall - en, snow on snow, Snow on snow,
 In the bleak mid - win - ter A sta - ble - place suf - ficed The
 But his mo - ther on - ly, In her maid - en bliss,
 If I were a wise man I would do my part; Yet

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 In the bleak mid - win - ter, Long a - - go. 2. Our
 Lord God Al - might - y, Je - sus Christ.
 Wor - shipped the Be - lov - ed With a kiss.
 what I can I give him - Give my heart.

1. Simple - built
2. Simple - Raphael or John Baptist