

Drive the Cold Winter Away

SATB Recorder Quartet

16th Century, England

8

S
A
T
B

All hail to the days that me - rit more praise Than all the
And wel - come the nights that dou - ble de - lights As well for the

Detailed description: This is the first system of a musical score for SATB Recorder Quartet. It features four staves: Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B). The music is in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). The Soprano part has lyrics: "All hail to the days that me - rit more praise Than all the". The Alto part has lyrics: "And wel - come the nights that dou - ble de - lights As well for the". The Tenor and Bass parts provide harmonic support with various note values and rests.

6 8

2.

S
A
T
B

rest of the year And for - tune at - tend each mar - ried mans
poor as the peer Good

Detailed description: This is the second system of the musical score. It continues from the first system. The Soprano part has lyrics: "rest of the year And for - tune at - tend each mar - ried mans". The Alto part has lyrics: "poor as the peer Good". The system includes a first ending bracket over the final two measures of the system, with a "2." marking the start of the second ending. The music continues with similar harmonic support in the Tenor and Bass parts.

12 8

S
friend That doth but the best he may — For - get - ting old wrongs with

A

T

B 8

19 8

S
car - ols and songs To drive the cold win - ter a - way. This time of the
sit by the

A

T

B 8

26 8

S
 year is spent with good cheer And neigh - bors to - ge - ther do meet.
 fire with friend - ly de - sire Each o - ther in love to greet

A

T

B

32 8

S
 To Old grud - ges for - got are put in the pot All sor - rows a -

A

T

B

38 8

S
side they lay — The old and the young doth car - ol this song to

A

T

B 8

45 8

S
drive the cold win - ter a - way —

A

T

B 8