

# Snowflakes Are Falling

for voice and harp, piano or guitar

**Performance notes:** This song should be sung slowly and meditatively (it is more of a chant than an aria). The accompaniment can be performed on one or any combination of harp, piano or guitar. Two instruments will be quite adequate, or even one instrument at a time along with the singer, to maintain the delicacy of the song. The accompaniment should not sound busy—one chord on each note. Chords can be solid or rolled, whichever the performer thinks best expresses each word or phrase.

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**Lento**  
*mp*

Dm F Em Am Em Dm C Am Em Dm Am Dm F

[Instrumental]

Dm F Em Am Em Dm C Am Em Dm Am

Soft snow-flakes are fall-ing down in - to our court-yard, The sky is a riv - er of

Dm F Dm Em F G C Dm F C

slow swirl-ing wisps, Our ju - ni - per trees are all beaut - i - ful-ly lit with bright

F Am C *mf* F Am Dm C F

bulbs, ice re - flects them, Sol-stice is the hope for the spring of new life.

*mp* Dm F Em Am Em Dm C Am Em Dm Am Dm F

[Instrumental]