

Urge for Going

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Flowing ♩ = c.120

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(rhythm can be relatively free here)

Solo

1. I a-woke to-day and found the frost perched on the town

Solo

It hovered in a frozen sky and it gobbled summer down.

Solo

When the sun turns traitor cold and all the trees are shivering, in a

1

Mm, Mm,

2

Mm, Mm,

3

Mm, Mm,

Solo

naked row, I get the urge for go-in' but I never seem

1

Mm oo, Oo, Oo,

2

Mm oo, Oo, Oo,

3

Mm oo, Oo, Oo,

26

Solo

to go. I get the urge for go-in' when the mea-dow grass is

1 Do do do do do do do, Do do do do

2 Do do do do Do do

3 Do do do do do do do do do

37

Solo

turn-in' brown and sum-mer time_ is fall-in' down and win-ter's clos - in' in.

1 do do, Do do do do do do, Do do do do.

2 do Do do do Do do do do do.

3 do do do do do Do do do do do.

36

1 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

2 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

3 I had me a man in sum-mer time_ he had sum-mer col - oured skin,

40

1 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

2 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

3 And not a - noth - er guy_ in town my dar-lin's heart could win,

44

1 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

2 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

3 But when the leaves fell on the ground and bul-ly winds came round

48

1 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ ah, _____

2 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ ah, _____

3 pushed them face down in the snow_ He_ got the urge for

52

1 ah, _____ He got the urge for

2 ah, _____ He got the urge for

3 go-in' and I had to let _____ him go. _____ He got the urge for

57

1 go-in' when the mea-dow grass was turn-in' brown and sum-mer time was

2 go-in' when the mea-dow grass was turn-in' brown and sum-mer time was

3 go-in',_ Mea - dow grass was turn-in' brown, Sum - mer-time was

61

1 fal-lin' down and win-ter was clo - sin' in. Do do_

2 fal-lin' down and win-ter was clo - sin' in. The war - ri - ors of

3 fal-lin' down and win-ter was clo - sin' in. Do do_

66

1 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

2 win-ter gave a cold tri - umph-ant shout._ And all that stays is dy

3 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

70

1 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

2 - in' all that lives is camp-in' out_ See the geese in Chev-ron flight,

3 Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_ Do do_

75

1 Do do Do do Do do Do do ah,

2 Flap-pin' and a rac - in' on be-fore the snow. They got the urge for

3 Do do Do do Do do Do do ah,

80

1 ah, They get the urge for

2 go-in' and they got the wings so they can go. They get the urge for

3 ah, They get the urge for

85

1 go-in' when the mea-dow grass is turn-in' brown and sum-mer time is

2 go-in' when the mea-dow grass is turn-in' brown and sum-mer time is

3 go-in', Mea - dow grass is turn-in' brown, Sum - mer-time is

89

1 fal-lin' down and win-ter's clo - sin' in. I ply the fire with

2 fal-lin' down and win-ter's clo - sin' in. Mm,

3 fal-lin' down and win-ter's clo - sin' in. Mm,

98

1 kind-ling now, I'll pull the blan-kets up to my chin, I'll lock the va-grant win

2 Mm,

3 Mm,

102

1 - ter out and I'll fold my wan-drin' in, I'd like to call back sum-mer time,

2 Mm,

3 Mm,

107

1 Have her stay for just a-noth-er month or so

2 Mm, Do do Do do

3 Mm, Do do Do do But she's

111

1 ah, ah, She

2 ah, ah, She

3 got the urge for go-in' so I guess she'll have to go. She

116

1 gets the urge for go-in' when the mea-dow grass is turn-in' brown and

2 gets the urge for go-in' when the mea-dow grass is turn-in' brown and

3 gets the urge for go-in',— Mea - dow grass is turn-in' brown,

120

1 all her em-pires' fal-lin' down and win-ter's clo-sin' in. Clo-sin' in_____ And I

2 all her em-pire's fal-lin' down and win-ter's clo-sin' in. Clo-sin' in_____ And I

3 All her em-pire's fal-lin' down and win-ter's clo-sin' in. Clo-sin' in_____ in. And I

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1 get the urge for go-ing when the mea-dow grass is turn-ing brown and

2 get the urge for go-ing when the mea-dow grass is turn-ing brown and

3 get the urge for go-ing when the mea-dow grass is turn-ing brown and

130

1 sum-mer time is fall - ing down._____ 9

2 sum-mer time is fall - ing down._____ 9

3 sum-mer time is fall - ing down._____ 9