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Opening

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BOB CHILCOTT

Bright ♩ = c.138

SOPRANO
ALTO

TENOR
BASS

PIANO

Bright ♩ = c.138

f

con Ped.

5

S.
A.

Wel - come, snow - drop! Your white note

8

Brings a me - lo - dy of hope.

Duration: 3.5 mins

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35 *mp* Af - ter win - ter's bit - ter-ness, *mf* Earth puts on her sum - mer,

mp *mf*

39 sum - mer dress. *f* Bless the things that let me go.

f

43 *mf* Bless the things I hold. *mf* spring be - gins. *mf* Bless the way that spring, that spring be -

mf *mf*

81 *-gain.* *f*

-gain. *f*

84 *f*

Win - ter's dark is in the past,

f

88

Day - light's o - pen - ing at last. _____

f