

Bells of Montpelier

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(with apologies to Julian of Norwich)

4||: (S) Loud are the bells of Mont-pe - li - er the peo - ple come and go, Here in Ver -
Love, like a yel - low daf - fo - dil, is com - ing through the snow. Love, like the
Ring for the yel - low daf - fo - dil, the flo - wer in the snow. Ring for the

The music consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, G major, and 4/4 time. The bottom staff is in bass clef, C major, and 4/4 time. The vocal line starts with eighth notes and sixteenth-note patterns. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords.

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Refrain:

mont's state ca - pi - tal I tell them what I know. Ring out, the bells of Mont-pe - li - er and let the win - ter
yel - low daf - fo - dil is lord of all I know.
yel - low daf - fo - dil and tell them what I know.

The music continues with two staves. The top staff shows a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes. The piano accompaniment features sustained chords and some rhythmic patterns. The lyrics for the refrain are provided below the staff.

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come and go: all shall be well a - gain, I know.

The music concludes with two staves. The top staff ends with a fermata over the final note. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic closure with sustained chords.