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SEASONS

**Journey into nature's world
of living creatures, colours,
and sounds.**

**Written by Peter Wilson, with music
& lyrics by Laughton and Jenny Patrick.**



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1 A Year - He Tau

$\text{♩} = 120$
C

SOPRANO

BASS

It's lon-ger than a ri-ver, It's lon-ger than a ball of string, A

5 C G F C Dm G

S. year is lon-ger than a-ny a-ny a-ny-thing, A year, oh a year is much too_ong, Let's break it in-to lit-tle bits and

B.

10 *rall.* $\text{♩} = 120$ *a tempo* D⁷ G C G C G C G

S. put it in a song. In a year how ma-ny days_ ar- rive? Three hun-dred days and

B.

15 C G C G C G C G C F G C

S. six-ty five. But how ma-ny weeks? Whoknows that too? Is it thir-ty? Is it for-ty? No it's fif-ty two.

B.

20 C G C G C G C G

S. Well now in one year how ma-ny months go past? With Jan-u-a-ry first and De-cem-ber last. It's

B.

26 C G

S. twelve! It's twelve! Twelve months in the year, One two three four five six se-ven eight nine ten e-le-ven twelve

B.

31 C

S. months in the year. Ta-hi, ru-a, to-ru, wha, ri-ma, o-no, whi-tu, wa-ru, i-wa, te-kau, te-kau ma ta-hi, te-

B.

35 C G C F C G C C G C G

S. kau ma ru - a, te-kau ma ru - a nga ma-ra-ma o te tau. Here's an - o-ther ques- tion, Just one more,

B.

39 C G Backing fades Track 4 C G

S. How ma-ny sea- sons? (Well there's four,) Three months for Sum- mer, three for

B.

43 C G C G C F C G C *attaca The Seasons*

S. Au - tumn or Fall, Three months for Win - ter, three for Spring and that's all.

B.

2 The Seasons

Raumati, Ngahuru, Hotoke, Koanga

Jenny Patrick

Laughton Patrick

♩ = 132

Chords: D D A7

Sum-mer, Au-tumn, Win-ter and spring, The

Chords: D G

sea - sons go round and round in a ring, Round and round and

Chords: D A7 D

round in a ring, Rau - ma - ti, Nga - hu - ru, Kō - a - nga.

Ho - to - ke,

Chords: D A7 D

Spring-time's fresh and green_ and bright, Sum-mer's red hot and blind_ ing

Chords: G D A7 D

white, Au-tumn the leaves turn o - range and gold, Win-ter is dark and grey_ and cold.

3 Winter - Hotoke

Jenny Patrick

Laughton Patrick

♩ = 100

(Ooo - ooo)etc.

5

Whoo - oo - oo that_ wind is strong, Can't stand up, can't_ walk a - long,

9

Ooo - ooo - ooo that_ rain is wet, How much cold - er_ can it get?

13

Whoo - oo - oo that_ wind is strong, Can't stand up, can't_ walk a - long,

17

Ooo - ooo - ooo He_ ti - no ma - ka - ri - ri, Ooo - ooo - ooo He_ ti - no ma - ka - ri - ri.

Jenny Patrick

Laughton Patrick

4 New Moon Full Moon

♩ = 160

C C F C

Three months have passed and now Win-ter*has gone, Three times the new moon and

11 Three times the full moon and Six times the half moon has shone, has shone!

17 F C High, high up in the bright sky Three times the new moon and Three times the full moon and

25 F C Six times the half moon has shone, has shone! Win-ter is o-ver, So long! so long! Now it's

34 F G A Spring-time*and that's a new song! _____

44 D A⁷ D 'Sum-mer, Au-tumn, Win-ter and spring, The sea-sons go round and round in a ring,

52 G D A⁷ D Round and round and round in a ring, Rau-ma-ti, Nga-hu-ru, Kō-a-nga.

5 Spring - Koanga

♩ = 120

5
TUNE See the blos-soms blow ing, All the flowers are grow-ing, There's a

2nd PART See the blos - soms, All the flow - ers

5
F C G⁷ C C
shine on ev - 'ry - thing, it must be Spring. See the spi - der spin-ning, Her

shin - ing bright - ly, it must be Spring. See the spi - der's

8
F C G⁷ C
new web is be - gin - ing, There's a shine on ev - 'ry - thing, it must be Spring.

web be - gin - ning, shin - ing - bright - ly, it must be Spring.

11
C F G C F C F C
Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao, Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring,

TO Hap - py, snap - py, Ka ti - no pai te ao. Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring,

TENOR Hap - py, snap - py, Ka ti - no pai te ao. Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring,

14
Dm G C
Hap - py, hap - py, hap - py, hap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao.

Hap - py, hap - py, hap - py, hap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao.

Hap - py, hap - py, hap - py, hap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao.

17 C F C G⁷ C

Now the birds are nest ing, There's no time for rest-ing, There's a shine on ev-'ry-thing it must be Spring.

Birds are nest-ing, There's no rest-ing, A shine on ev-'ry-thing it must be spring.

21 C F C G⁷ C

Lit-tle lambs are leap-ing, Ba-by birds are cheep-ing, There's a shine on ev-'ry-thing it must be Spring.

Lambs are leap-ing, Birds are cheep-ing, A shine on ev-'ry-thing it must be Spring.

25 C F G C F C F C

Hap-py Spring, snap-py Spring, Ka ti-no pai te ao, Hap-py Spring, snap-py Spring,

Hap-py, snap-py, Ka ti-no pai te ao. Hap-py Spring, snap-py Spring,

Hap-py, snap-py, Ka ti-no pai te ao. Hap-py Spring, snap-py Spring,

28 Dm G Backing cuts out C

Hap-py, hap-py, hap-py, hap-py Spring, Ka ti-no pai te ao.

Hap-py, hap-py, hap-py, hap-py Spring, Ka ti-no pai te ao.

Hap-py, hap-py, hap-py, hap-py Spring, Ka ti-no pai te ao.

7 Spring Reprise

♩ = 120

See the blos-soms blow ing, — All the flowers are grow-ing, There's a
See the blos - soms, All the flow - ers

shine on ev - 'ry - thing, it must be Spring. See the spi - der spin-ning, Her
shin - ing bright - ly, it must be Spring. See the spi - der's

new web is be - gin - ing, There's a shine on ev - 'ry - thing, it must be Spring.
web be - gin - ning, shin - ing bright - ly, it must be Spring.

Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao, Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring,
Hap - py, snap - py, Ka ti - no pai te ao. Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring,
Hap - py, snap - py, Ka ti - no pai te ao. Hap - py Spring, snap - py Spring,

Hap - py, hap - py, hap - py, hap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao.
Hap - py, hap - py, hap - py, hap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao.
Hap - py, hap - py, hap - py, hap - py Spring, Ka ti - no pai te ao.

Order- double Chorus, Verse 1 , single Chorus, Verse 2, double Chorus(last bars cut

Jenny Patrick

Laughton Patrick

Track 14

Piano

Look at the spi - der, boing, boing, boing, She's a

4

Pno.

bun - gy jump ri - der, boing, boing, Swing wi - der, wi - der,

7

Pno.

Con-nec- tion, Pun-nga-we-re-we-re, Change di - rec- tion, Look at the

10

Omit bars 10 to 18 time two

Pno.

spi der, boing, boing, boing, She's a bun-gy jump ri - der, boing, boing, Swing

14

Pno.

wi - der, wi - der, Comec tion, Pun-nga-we-re we - re,

17

(fade last time)

Pno.

Changedi-rec-tion, Look at the spi - der, She's Now she's

Fine

20

Pno.

spin-ning her web, it's as fine as can be, To catch a mos - qui - to or a
lay - ing a big round_ shin - y white egg, and she ties it to her web_ with a

23

Pno.

fly for her tea. Here comes a fly! Yes it's caught in the trap!
flick of her leg, Listen_ a baby spi-der's knock-ing on the door,

26

Pno.

Buzz, buzz, buzz, flap, flap, flap_ Mum-my spi-der's feet go
One babies two three and_ four_ All the ba - by spi - ders

29

Pno.

tap, tap, tap, Tap-pi - ty tap tap tap, Tap-pi - ty tap tap.
out they_ pour, How_ many spiders can a lit - tle egg store?

32

Pno.

Hap hap hap - py is hap - py Mum - my Spi - der'cause that
Up the web down the web heel_ and_ toe,

34

Pno.

fly's soon gon - na be sucked down in - side her.
follow mummy spi - der,_ off we_ go.

attacca 9 Seasons

9 - 2nd New Moon Full Moon

♩ = 160

C C F

Three months have passed and now Spring - has

8 C

gone, Three times the new moon and Three times the

12 F C

full moon and Six times the half moon has shone, has shone!

17 F C

High, high up in the bright sky Spring-time is o - ver, So long! so long!

25 F G *faster* *attacca Summer intro.*

Now it's Sum-mer and that's a new song!

The musical score is written for a piano accompaniment. It features a treble and bass clef. The key signature is one flat (B-flat major or D minor). The tempo is marked as ♩ = 160. The score is divided into measures, with measure numbers 8, 12, 17, and 25 indicated. Chord symbols (C, F, G) are placed above the staff. The lyrics are written below the staff. The score ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

10 Summer

Jenny Patrick

Laughton Patrick

(overlaps last chord of NMFM)

♩ = 140

Drums

6

11

14 F B♭ F B♭ F B♭ F G⁷ C

Sum- mer, Sum- mer, Sum- mer sun, Play out in the gar- den, have a bit of fun,

18 F C F B♭ F B♭ C⁷ F

Kick a ball, throw a ball, run run run, In the Sum- mer, Sum- mer, in the Sum- mer sun.

22 F B♭ C⁷ F F B♭ F B♭ F B♭ F

Sum- mer, Sum- mer, Sum- mer sun, Play out in the gar den,

27 G⁷ C F C F B♭

have a bit of fun, Kick a ball, throw a ball, run run run, In the

30 F B♭ C⁷ F F B♭ C⁷ F

Sum- mer, Sum- mer, in the Sum mer. sun. In the Sum- mer, Sum- mer, in the Sum mer. sun.

11 - Butterfly

Jenny Patrick

Laughton Patrick

♩ = 100!

SOPRANO

ALTO

BASS

Pe-pe- pe, but-ter- fly,

There_____

There_____

6

S.

A.

B.

there she goes, Dan-ces on the flow-ers on her tip-py tip-py toes, Pe-pe- pe, but-ter- fly, pret-ty lit-tle thing,

there she goes Dan - ces on her tip-py tip-py toes Pe-pe- pe, pret-ty lit-tle thing,

there she goes Dan - ces on her tip-py tip-py toes Pe-pe- pe, pret-ty lit-tle thing,

11

S.

A.

B.

Rain-bowsof co-lour are paint-ed on her wing, Rain-bows on her wing.

Rain - bows of co-lour paint-ed on her wing, Rain-bows of co lour on her wing.

Rain - bows of co-lour paint-ed on her wing, Rain-bows of co lour on her wing.

11 Butterfly

♩ = 100 !

SOPRANO

ALTO

BASS

Flut-ter,flut-ter but-ter-fly, pret-ty lit-tle thing,

Flut-ter,flut-ter but-ter-fly, pret-ty lit-tle thing,

Flut-ter,flut-ter but-ter-fly, pret-ty lit-tle thing,

5

S.

A.

B.

Rain - bows of co - lour are paint-ed on her wing, ——— Rain-bows on her wing.

Rain - bows of co - lour are paint-ed on her wing, on her wing.

Rain - bows of co - lour are paint-ed on her wing, on her wing.

12 Caterpillar

♩ = 144

Chords: Gm, D, Gm, Gm, D, Gm

Tune

Alto

Ca-ter-pil lar, a - nu - he, Munch, munch, munch, Green leaves for break - fast flowers for lunch,

Bass

String bass

5 Chords: Gm, D, Gm, Gm, D

S.

Ca-ter-pil - lar, tum - my fil - ler, Munch munch munch, No - thing left for din - ner but stalks, crunch crunch!

B.

Vc.

9 Chords: Gm, D, Gm, D

Slowly and softly

S.

Oo - - Watch her grow, Oo - - Watch her grow.

rit

B.

Vc.

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VERSE 2 (before fishing scene)

6 F B $\flat$ C 7 F F B $\flat$ F B $\flat$ F

Sum- mer, Sum- mer, Sum- mer_ sun, Splash-ing in the wa- ter, _

6 G 7 C F B $\flat$

come on ev - 'ry-one, Where's my hat? Where's my rod? I'm off to the sea_____ To

9 F B $\flat$ C 7 F F B $\flat$ C 7 F

catch a lit - tle fish - y_____ for my tea.

Instrumental

13 F B $\flat$ C 7 F F B $\flat$ F B $\flat$ F B $\flat$ F G 7 C

19 F C F B $\flat$ F B $\flat$ C 7 F

Track 21

12b 3rd Summer

Jenny Patrick

Instrumental

Three times (last time not complete)

Laughton Patrick

♩ = 140

F B♭ C⁷ F F B♭ C⁷ F F B♭

6 F B♭ F B♭ F G⁷ C

9 F C F B♭ F B♭ C⁷ F

Track 22

13 F B♭ F B♭ F B♭ F

Sum- mer, Sum- mer, Sum- mer sun, Splash- ing in the wa- ter,

17 G⁷ C F C F B♭

Come on ev - 'ry- one. Do do do (etc.)

20 F B♭ C⁷ F F B♭ C⁷ F

24 F B♭ F B♭ F B♭ F G⁷ C F C

29 F B♭ F B♭ C⁷ F F B♭ C⁷ F All F B♭

Sum- mer, Sum- mer,

35 F B♭ F B♭ F G⁷ C

Sum- mer night, See how the moon shines bright as bright.

38 F Helen C Anna F Martin B♭ F H A B♭ M All C⁷ F

Hear that lit - tle noise. Is it left or right? Ow! Ow! Ow! A mos - qui - to bite.

13 - Mosquito - Nae Nae

Jenny Patrick ♩ = 120

Laughton Patrick

F

Nyee nyee I like the night, You can't see me when there is-n't a-ny light.

Nyee nyee I like the night, You can't see me and I'm rea-dy to bite, Nyee nyee

here I come, You've got a lot of blood and I want some.

Nyee nyee here I come, Stab (Ow!) suck (Ow!) yum yum yum.

F

14 - 3rd New Moon Full Moon

♩ = 160

C C F

Three months have passed and now Sum-mer has

8 C

gone, Three times the new moon and Three times the

12 F C

full moon and Six times the half moon has shone, has shone!

17 F C F

High, high up in the bright sky Sum-mer is o-ver, So long! so

24 C F G attacca Autumn

long! Now it's Au-tumn and that's a new song! _____

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a song. It is written for a single melodic line on a treble clef staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 3/4. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 160. The score is divided into systems. The first system (measures 1-4) has a C chord. The second system (measures 5-8) has a C chord. The third system (measures 9-12) has an F chord. The fourth system (measures 13-16) has a C chord. The fifth system (measures 17-20) has an F chord. The sixth system (measures 21-24) has a C chord. The seventh system (measures 25-28) has an F chord. The eighth system (measures 29-32) has a G chord. The score ends with a double bar line. The lyrics are: 'Three months have passed and now Sum-mer has gone, Three times the new moon and Three times the full moon and Six times the half moon has shone, has shone! High, high up in the bright sky Sum-mer is o-ver, So long! so long! Now it's Au-tumn and that's a new song!'. The word 'attacca' is written above the final system, indicating a transition to the next piece.

15 - Autumn - Ngahuru

Laughton Patrick

♩ = 84

VERSE 1

TUNE F Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3

ALTO Slow slow, Au-tumn is slow, The plantare sleepy, they

BASS

6 F Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3

don't want to grow. The leaves are fal-ling, the leaves turn to gold, Some of the crea tures are

VERSE 2

10 Bb/G C F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3

feel-ing the cold. Here comes the tired lit-tle but-ter-fly, She lays her last egg and she's

Track ends with final cadence to F

14 F Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F 3

rea-dy to die. The leaves are fal ling, the leaves turn to gold, Some of the crea tures are

18 Bb/G C F Bb7 F 3 Bb7 F Bb7 F 3 Bb7 Bb7 F

feel-ing the cold. Slow slow, Au-tumn is slow, Low, low, the sun is so low, So low.

16 Grasshopper Kowhitiwhiti

Twice through

Laughton Patrick

TUNE $\text{♩} = 120$

Ko - whi-ti-whi-ti pe- ke, Ko - whi-ti-whi-ti tu, Pe - ke pe-ke pe-ke pe-ke

ALTO

TENOR
(or ALTO 2 if tenor on tune)

Piano

S.

A.

T.

Pno.

5 G^7 C^7 F G^7

Aue! ma tu. Grass-hop - per crick, Grass-hop - per crick, Crick crickcrick-e-ty crick,

hop hop Crick crick crickcrick-e-tyCrick crick crick crick-e-ty Crick crickcrick-e-ty crick,

hop hop Crick crick crickcrick-e-tyCrick crick crick crick-e-ty Crick crickcrick-e-ty crick,

9 C^7 C^7 F

Crick crick whoops!Crick-e-ty crick crick whoops! Crick-e-ty crick.

Crick crick whoops!Crick-e-ty crick crick whoops! Crick-e-ty crick.

Crick crick whoops!Crick-e-ty crick crick whoops! Crick-e-ty crick.

17 Frog - Poroka

F A D G

SOPRANO
Po-ro-ka pe-ke, Po-ro-ka tu, Pe-ke pe-ke pe-ke pe-ke Au-e!ma tu,--

ALTO
Hop hop hop hop hop hop hop

TENOR
Hop hop hop hop hop hop hop

6 C F G

S.
Frog ri - bet ri - bet, Frog ri - bet ri - bet, Ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet,

A.
ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet-ty Ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet-ty Ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet,

T.
ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet-ty Ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet-ty Ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet ri - bet,

9 C F

S.
Ri - bet ri - bet whoops! ri - bet-ty Ri - bet ri - bet whoops! ri - bet-ty ri - bet.

A.
Ri - bet ri - bet whoops! ri - bet-ty Ri - bet ri - bet whoops! ri - bet-ty ri - bet.

T.
Ri - bet ri - bet whoops! ri - bet-ty Ri - bet ri - bet whoops! ri - bet-ty ri - bet.

18 Fly - Ngaro

Jenny Patrick ♩ = 144

Laughton Patrick

TUNE

F A⁷ D⁷ G⁷

Nga-ro buzz buzz, Nga-ro buzz buzz, Buzz buzz buz-zy buzz Aue! buz-zy buzz,

ALTO

Buzz buzz buzz buzz buzz buzz buzz

TENOR
(or ALTO 2 if tenor on tune)

Buzz buzz buzz buzz buzz buzz buzz

6 C⁷ F G⁷ C⁷ *getting faster*

Fly goes buzz, Fly goes buzz, Buzz buzz buz-zy buzz Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy

A.

Buzz buz buzz buz-zy Buzz buzz buzz buz-zy Buzz buzz buz-zy buzz Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy

T.

Buzz buz buzz buz-zy Buzz buzz buzz buz-zy Buzz buzz buz-zy buzz Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy

10

Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy

A.

Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy

T.

Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy Buzz buzz whoops buz-zy

12

Buzz buzz whoops! (Voices only) Ri - bet (Gulp!)

A.

Buzz buzz whoops! Ri - bet (Gulp!)

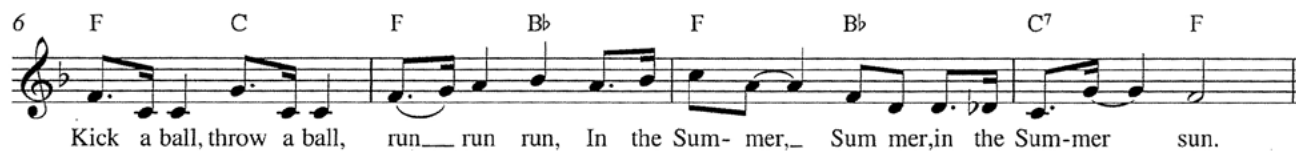
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Buzz buzz whoops! Ri - bet (Gulp!)

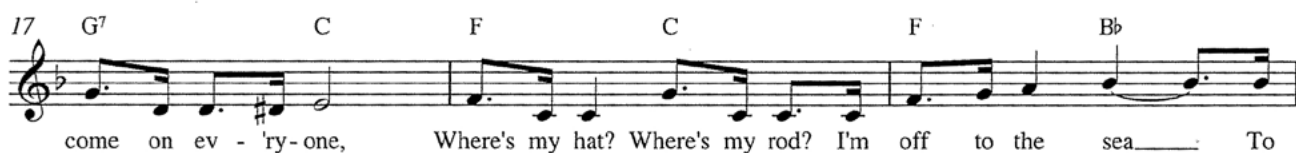
19 Summer Play off

Jenny Patrick

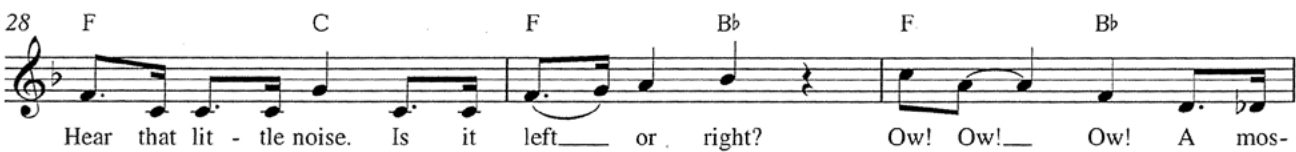
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Verse 2



Verse 3



20 Seasons Finale

$\text{♩} = 132$
D D A⁷

SOPRANO

BASS

Sum-mer, Au-tumn, Win-ter and spring, The

9 D G

S.

B.

sea - sons go round and round in a ring, Round and round and

15 D A⁷ D

S.

B.

round in a ring, Rau-ma - ti, Nga - hu - ru, Hō - to - ke, Kō - a - nga.

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