In The Bleak Mid-winter

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Snow had fallen, snow on snow Snow on snow In the bleak mid-winter Long ago

Angels and archangels May have gathered there Cherubim and seraphim Thronged the air

But only his mother In her maiden bliss Worshiped the beloved With a kiss

What can I give him Poor as I am? If I were a shepherd I would bring a lamb

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