## ICE CAN SCREAM

Ice can scream,
Ice can shout:
Winter in
And autumn out.

Ice can shout,Ice can call,SignalingThe end of fall.

Ice can call,
Ice can yell
Secrets no one
Else can tell.

Ice can yell,
Ice can howl,
Naming winter's
Weather foul.

Ice can howl, Ice can wail, Counting up

20 Each storm and gale.

Ice can wail,
Ice can shriek
Till the land
Is winter-bleak.

Ice can shriek,Ice can screamStraight acrossThe autumn dream.

Ice can scream,
Ice can shout:
Winter in
And autumn out.

—Jane Yolen

## WINTER SONGS

The winter sings a windy song That hustles rusty leaves along.

The winter sings a song of hail That pings and pangs like falling nails.

5 The winter sings a song of sleet As sloshing cars slip down the street.

The winter sings a song of snow, A whispering as

whiteness

grows.

—Douglas Florian

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