

Away in a Manger

SATB, 2 Violins (Flute and Violin),
Cello, or Organ

Cradle Song

St. 1, 2, 19th-century American

WILLIAM J. KIRKPATRICK, 1838—1921

St. 3, JOHN THOMAS MCFARLAND, 1851—1913

Setting by HERMANN SCHROEDER

Violin (Flute)
Violin
(or Organ)
Cello

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

1 A - way in a
2 The cat - tle are
3 Be near me, Lord

man - ger, no crib for a bed, The lit - tle Lord
low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes, But lit - tle Lord
Je - sus, I ask Thee to stay Close by me for -

The musical score is written for SATB choir and instrumental accompaniment. The instrumental parts (Violin/Flute, Violin, Cello/Organ) are in the top system, with a grand staff. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) are in the middle system, with four staves. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves. The score is in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. The key signature is G major, and the time signature is 3/4. The score is divided into three systems. The first system contains the instrumental introduction and the first line of the vocal melody. The second system contains the second line of the vocal melody. The third system contains the third line of the vocal melody. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves.

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Je - sus laid down His sweet head. The stars in the
 Je - sus no cry - ing He makes. I love Thee, Lord
 ev - er, and love me, I pray. Bless all the dear



bright sky looked down where He lay, The lit - tle Lord
 Je - sus! Look down from the sky, And stay by my
 chil - dren in Thy ten - der care, And fit us for



Je - sus a - sleep on the hay.
 side un - til morn - ing is nigh.
 heav - en, to live with Thee there.