

13. Away in a manger

Words anon.
(19th cent. American)

Melody by W. J. KIRKPATRICK
(1838-1921)
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Simply

SOPRANO
ALTO

pp 1. A - way in a - man - ger, no - crib for a bed, - The -
p 2. The - cat - tle are - low - ing, the - ba - by a - wakes, - But -
pp 3. Be - near me, Lord - Je - sus; I - ask thee to stay - Close

TENOR
BASS

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lit - tle - Lord Je - sus laid - down his sweet head; The -
 lit - tle - Lord Je - sus no - cry - ing he makes. *poco cresc.* I -
 by - me - for ev - er, and love me, I pray. Bless -

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stars - in - the - bright sky - looked down where he - lay, - The -
 love - thee, - Lord - Je - sus! Look - down from the - sky, - And -
 all - the - dear - chil - dren in - thy - ten - der - care, - And -

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lit - tle - Lord - Je - sus - a - sleep - on - the - hay.
 stay - by - my - side - un - til - morn - ing - is - nigh.
 fit - us - for - hea - ven, - to - live - with - thee - there.

In verse 3 the whole choir may hum whilst a treble soloist sings the words.