

For the Mount Mahogany First Ward

# Away in a Manger

Anon., ca 1883, Philadelphia

SATB and piano

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Peacefully ♩ = 80

The first system of the musical score. It features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 3/4. The tempo is marked 'Peacefully' with a quarter note equal to 80 beats per minute. The vocal line begins with a rest, followed by the lyrics 'A - way in a'. The piano accompaniment starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes a first ending marked '8va' with a dashed line. The system concludes with a mezzo-forte (*mp*) dynamic marking.

The second system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'man - ger, no crib for a bed, The lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid'. The piano accompaniment continues with chords and some melodic lines. The system ends with a mezzo-forte (*mp*) dynamic marking.

The third system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'down his sweet head; The stars in the heav - ens looked down where he'. The piano accompaniment continues. The system ends with a piano (*p*) dynamic marking and the word 'Oo' written below the vocal line.

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lay, The lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the

16 stagger breath

Oo

hay. Oo

21 dim.

Oo

T.B. unis:

21 mp p

Oo

26 mp with hushed intensity

The cat - tle are low - ing, the

26 mp with hushed intensity

8vb 8vb

31

ba - by a - wakes; But — lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no — cry - ing he

31

8vb

36

makes. I love thee, Lord — Je - sus; look — down from — the sky *mp* And —

unis.

36

*mf*

41

stay by my cra - dle till — morn - ing is nigh. *f* Be

41

*p* *molto cresc.* *molto rall.*

8vb

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46 *a tempo*

near me, Lord Je - sus; I ask thee to stay *no breath* Close

46 *a tempo*

*f*  
8vb

50

by me for - ev - er, and love me, I pray. *rit.*

50

*dim.* *rit.* *p* 8va

55 *a tempo* Oo

*pp* Bless all the dear chil - dren in thy ten - der care, And

Tenors:

55 (8va) *a tempo*

*mp* 8va

60

fit us for heav - en, To live. *cresc.*

T.B.:

*mp cresc.*

65

*mf* Bless all the child ren in thy ten - der care. And *unis.*

65

*f*  
(8vb)

70

fit us for heav - en, And fit us for heav - en, And lead us to *cresc.*

70

*f cresc.*

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75

heav - en to *ff* live, *mf* To live with thee  
*unis.*

75

*ff*

8<sup>va</sup>

80

there. *mp* I love thee, Lord Je - sus.  
 Oo Sleep in

80

*mp*

85

heav - en - ly peace. *pp* Mm

85

*p* *rit.* *pp*

8<sup>va</sup>