

Away in a Manger

for SATB Chorus, Cello, and Piano

Anon., ca. 1883, Philadelphia

William J. Kirkpatrick, 1838-1921
arr. Steven Smith

Reverently (♩ = ca.82)

Soprano & Alto *p*

Musical score for Soprano & Alto, Tenor & Bass, and Piano. The score is in 3/4 time and B-flat major. The Soprano & Alto part begins with a rest for three measures, followed by a half note 'A' on the fourth measure. The Tenor & Bass part has a whole rest for all four measures. The Piano part begins with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic, featuring a melody in the right hand and accompaniment in the left hand.

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Musical score for Soprano & Alto (SA), Tenor & Bass (TB), and Piano. The score is in 3/4 time and B-flat major. The SA part has a melody with lyrics: "way in a man - ger, no crib for his bed, The". The TB part has a whole rest for all four measures. The Piano part begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic, featuring a melody in the right hand and accompaniment in the left hand.

SA
lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid— down his sweet head; The

TB

SA
stars in the— heav - ens looked— down where he lay, The—

TB

SA
lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay.

TB

SA

TB

Tenor & Bass
mp

The cat - tle are — low - ing, the — poor ba - by

SA

TB

wakes; But — lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no — cry - ing he makes. I

SA

TB

love thee, Lord — Je - sus; look — down from the sky And — stay by my

SA

TB

cra - dle till — morn - ing is nigh.

42 **Soprano & Alto**
p hushed

SA

TB

Be near me, Lord — Je - sus; I — ask thee to stay Close —

Tenor & Bass
p hushed

a tempo, but slightly broader

molto rit.

pp

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SA

TB

by me for - ev - er, and — love me, I pray. Bless all the dear —

mp

mf

pp

p

SA
 child - ren in — thy ten - der care, And — fit us for

TB

SA
 hea - ven to — live with thee — there. Bless

TB

SA
 all the dear — child - ren in — thy ten - der care,

TB

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SA *p*

And — fit us for hea - ven to — live with thee

TB *p*

a tempo, poco rubato

pp

69

SA (stagger) *pp*

there. *pp*

TB *pp*

a tempo

pp *p* *molto rit.* *pp*

ppp