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Away in a Manger (Christmas Carol) Kirkpatrick, William James

About the artist

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Compositions and arrangements from all eras, in all styles or musical genres and for any instrument or vocal training.

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About the piece



Title: Away in a Manger [Christmas Carol]

Composer: Kirkpatrick, William James

Arranger: Dewagtere, Bernard

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Instrumentation: Voice, piano or guitar or organ

Style: Christmas - Carols

Comment: "Away in a Manger" is a Christmas carol first published in 1885 in Philadelphia and widely used in the English-speaking world. In Britain, it is one of the most popular songs. There are two different tunes for "Away in a Manger," one of William J. Kirkpatrick (1885), the other by James R. Murray (1887). Both versions fit together quite well.

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Away in a Manger

James R. Murray (1887)

Arr. : Bernard Dewagtere

mf

1. A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a -
 2. The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a -

F 8fr. C 3fr. F 8fr. D m

Piano *mf*

5

bed, wakes; the lit - tle Lord Je - sus, laid down His sweet
 But lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing He

G m/A 3fr. G m 3fr. C7 G m 3fr. C 3fr. F 8fr. D m D m/C G 3fr.

Pno

9

head; The stars in the bright sky looked down where He
 makes: I love Thee, Lord Je - sus; look down from the

C 3fr. F 8fr. C 3fr. D m A m7 A m F 8fr. D m

Pno

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2
13

lay, the lit - tle Lord Je - sus a sleep on the
sky, and stay by my side un - til mor - ning is

G m 3fr. G m7 C 3fr. F 8fr. D m F 8fr. G m 3fr. C 3fr. C7

17

hay. nigh.

F 8fr. C 3fr. F 8fr. D m

21

G m7 C/B 3fr. C7 F 8fr. D m G m 3fr. G m7

25

Piano accompaniment for measures 25-28. Chords: C (3fr.), F (8fr.), Dm.

29

Piano accompaniment for measures 29-32. Chords: Gm7, C/B (3fr.), C7, F (8fr.), Dm, Gm (3fr.), Dm7, C7.

33

1. 2. *mp*

The 3. Be near me, Lord Je - sus: I ask Thee to

Piano accompaniment for measures 33-36. Chords: F (8fr.). Dynamics: *mp*.

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4
38

stay. Close by me for e - ver, and love me, I pray; Bless

p

Pno

38

p

43

all the dear chil - dren in Thy ten - der care, and fit us for

D
5fr.

G m
3fr.

C7

Pno

43

48

hea - ven to live with Thee there, to live with Thee there.

rit.

F
8fr.

D m7

G m
3fr.

C7

A7

D m

G m
3fr.

G m7

C7

F
8fr.

Pno

48

rit.