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

About the artist

Doctor in musicology, conductor and composer.

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: Choral SATB, piano or organ or guitar

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

♩ = 80

Soprano

1. A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, the
 2. *mf* The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes; But

Alto

1. A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, the
 2. *mf* The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes; But

Ténor

8

Basse

1. A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, the
 2. *mf* The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes; But

Piano

♩ = 80

f

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

6

S

lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down His sweet head; The stars in the
 lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing He makes: I love Thee, Lord

A

lit - tle Lord Je - sus, laid down His sweet head; The stars in the
 lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing He makes: I love Thee, Lord

T

8

B

1. *mf* The stars in the
 I love Thee, Lord

lit - tle Lord Je - sus, laid down His sweet head; The stars in the
 lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing He makes: I love Thee, Lord

C7 G m C F D m D m/C G C F C

3fr. 3fr. 8fr. 3fr. 3fr. 3fr. 3fr. 8fr. 3fr.

Pno

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Away in a Manger

2
11

S
A
T
B

bright sky looked down where He lay, the lit - tle Lord Je - sus a -
Je - sus; look down from the sky, and stay by my side un - til

bright sky looked down where He lay, the and lit - tle by Lord Je - sus a -
Je - sus; look down from the sky, and stay by my side un - til

bright sky looked down where He lay, the and lit - tle by Lord Je - sus a -
Je - sus; look down from the sky, and stay by my side un - til

bright sky looked down where he lay, the and lit - tle Lord Je - sus a -
Je - sus; look down from the sky, and stay by my side un - til

D m A m7 A m F D m G m G m7 C F D m F



Pno



16

S
A
T
B

sleep on the hay. A - way in a man - ger no crib for a -
mor - ning is hay. nigh. The way cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a -

sleep on the hay. A - way in a man - ger no crib for a -
mor - ning is hay. nigh. The way cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a -

sleep on tha hay. A - way in a man - ger no crib for a
mor - ning is hay. nigh. The way cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a

sleep on the hay. *f* A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a -
mor - ning is hay. nigh. The way cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a -

G m C C7 F C F D m



Pno

16

mf



Away in a Manger

21

S
bed, _____ the _____ lit - tle Lord _____ Je - sus, laid _____ down _____ His _____ sweet _____ head; _____ The
wakes; _____ But _____ lit - tle Lord _____ Je - sus, no _____ cry - ing _____ He _____ makes: _____ I

A
bed, _____ the _____ lit - tle Lord _____ Je _____ sus, laid _____ down _____ His _____ sweet _____ head; _____ The
- wakes: _____ But _____ lit - tle - Lord _____ Je _____ sus, no _____ cry - ing _____ He _____ makes: _____ I

T
8 bed, _____ the _____ lit - tle Lord _____ Je - sus, laid _____ down _____ His _____ sweet _____ head; _____ The
wakes; _____ But _____ lit - tle Lord _____ Je - sus, no _____ cry _____ ing _____ He _____ makes: _____ I

B
bed, _____ the _____ lit - tle Lord _____ Je - sus, laid _____ down _____ His _____ sweet _____ head; _____ The
wakes; _____ But _____ lit - tle Lord _____ Je - sus, no _____ cry - ing _____ He _____ makes: _____ I

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

Pno

26

S
stars _____ in _____ the _____ bright _____ sky _____ looked _____ down _____ where _____ He _____ lay, _____ the _____ lit - tle _____ Lord _____
love _____ Thee, _____ Lord _____ Je - sus; _____ look _____ down _____ from _____ the _____ sky, _____ and _____ stay _____ by _____ my _____

A
stars _____ in _____ the _____ bright _____ sky _____ looked _____ down _____ where _____ He _____ lay, _____ the _____ lit - tle _____ Lord
love _____ Thee, _____ Lord _____ Je - sus, _____ look _____ down _____ from _____ the _____ sky, _____ and _____ stay _____ by _____ my

T
8 stars _____ in _____ the _____ bright _____ sky _____ looked _____ down _____ where _____ He _____ lay, _____ the _____ lit - tle _____ Lord
love _____ Thee, _____ Lord _____ Je - sus, _____ look _____ down _____ from _____ the _____ sky, _____ and _____ stay _____ by _____ my

B
stars _____ in _____ the _____ bright _____ sky _____ looked _____ down _____ where _____ He _____ lay, _____ the _____ lit - tle _____ Lord
love _____ Thee, _____ Lord _____ Je - sus, _____ look _____ down _____ from _____ the _____ sky, _____ and _____ stay _____ by _____ my

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

Pno

Away in a Manger

4
31

S
Je - sus a - sleep on the hay. The nigh. 3. Be near me, Lord

A
side un - til mor - ning is hay. The nigh. *mp* Be near me, Lord

T
8
Je - sus a - sleep on the hay. The nigh.

B
Je - sus a - sleep on the hay. The *mf* nigh.

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

Pno

31

36

S
Je - sus: I ask Thee to stay. Close by me for e - ver, and

A
Je - sus: I ask Thee to stay. Close by me for e - ver, and

T
8

B

Pno

36

Away in a Manger

41

S love me, I pray; *p* Bless all the dear chil-dren in Thy ten-der care, and

A love me, I pray; *p* Bless all the dear chil-dren in Thy ten-der care, and

T

B

F 8fr. D 5fr. G m 3fr.

Pno *pp*

47

S fit us for hea-ven to live with Thee there, to live with Thee there.

A fit us for hea-ven to live with Thee there, to live with Thee there.

T

B

C7 F 8fr. Dm7 G m 3fr. C7 A7 Dm G m 3fr. G m7 C7 F 8fr.

Pno