

Away in a Manger

TRADITIONAL

Piano

The piano accompaniment is written in 3/4 time and consists of three systems. Each system has a treble staff and a bass staff. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff, and fingering numbers (1-4) are placed below the notes. The first system covers measures 1-4, the second system covers measures 5-8, and the third system covers measures 9-12. The music concludes with a double bar line at the end of the third system.

1. Away in a manger,
 No crib for a bed,
 The little Lord Jesus
 Laid down His sweet head.
 The stars in the bright sky
 Looked down where He lay,
 The little Lord Jesus
 Asleep on the hay.

2. The cattle are lowing,
 The baby awakes,
 But little Lord Jesus,
 No crying He makes.
 I love thee, Lord Jesus!
 Look down from the sky,
 And stay by my side until
 Morning is nigh.

3. Be near me, Lord Jesus;
 I ask Thee to stay
 Close by me forever,
 And love me, I pray.
 Bless all the dear children
 In Thy tender care,
 And fit us for heaven,
 To live with Thee there.