

SLEEP, CHILD OF LIGHT

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Tenderly (♩ = ca. 82)

ACCOMP.

p

4

S.A.

p

A -

8

way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed,

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12

the lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down His sweet

16

head. The stars in the sky look

18

20

down where He lay, the lit - tle Lord

24

Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay, the

hay. T.B. *p* [30] The cat - tle are low - ing, the

mp The cat - tle are low - ing, the

ba - by a - wakes, but lit - tle Lord

ba - by a - wakes, but lit - tle Lord

Je - sus, no cry - ing He makes. I

Je - sus, no cry - ing He makes. I

40

love Thee, Lord Je - sus! Look down from, look down from the

love Thee, Lord Je - sus! Look down from the sky,

mp

44

sky, and stay by my cra - dle till morn - ing is

and stay by my cra - dle till morn - ing is

50

nigh. Sleep, sleep,

nigh. Sleep, sleep,

mf

Child in the night._____ Ba - by Je - sus,

sleep till the light._____ Be near me, Lord_____

rit. **59** *a tempo*

Je - sus, I ask Thee to_____ stay close by me for -

64

ev - er, and love me, I — pray. — Bless

68

all the — dear — chil - dren in Thy ten - der care,

72

and fit us for heav - en to — live with Thee

76

78

there.

Sleep, sleep,

Child in the night.

Ba by Je - sus,

sleep till the light.

Sleep, sleep,

88

Child in the night. _____ Ba - by Je - sus,



92

mf sleep till the light. _____ *rit. e dim.*

mf

mf *mp* *rit. e dim.*



96

p very slow

Sleep. _____

p

p very slow

