

III. LULLABY

Sleep, my son, oh! slumber softly,
While thy mother watches o'er thee,
Nothing can affright or harm thee.
Oh! sleep, my son.

Far-away
Zithers play,
Dancing gay,
Calls today.

Vainly play
Zithers gay,
Here I stay
All the day.

Happily
Guarding thee,
Peacefully
Watching thee.

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Moderato

PIANO

mf

p dolce

sonore

Ped. _____ Ped. _____

6

fp

p

Ped. _____ Ped. _____ Ped. _____

12

espress.

cresc.

sf

sonore

17

< ten. >

p

pp

sf

p

A

23 SOPRANO

ALTO *p molto espress. e legato*

Sleep, my son, oh! slum - ber soft - ly,

TENOR

8 BASS

pp

Ped. _____ Ped. _____ Ped. _____ Ped. _____

While thy moth - er watch - es o'er thee,

cresc. *dim.*

Noth - ing can af - fright or harm thee.

sf

Sleep, oh! sleep, my son.

f *dim.* *p* *8va*

Ped.

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B

pp
 Far a - way Zith - ers play, Danc - ing gay, Calls to - day.
pp
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pp
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pp
 Far a - way Zith - ers play, Danc - ing gay, Calls to - day.

pp
poco cresc.
 Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

43

Vain - ly play Zith - ers gay, Here I stay All the day.
 Vain - ly play Zith - ers gay, Here I stay All the day.
 Vain - ly play Zith - ers gay, Here I stay All the day.
 Vain - ly play Zith - ers gay, Here I stay All the day.

dim.
 Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

47

I stay All the day. Hap - pi - ly,
 Hap - pi - ly, hap - pi - ly Guard - ing thee, Hap - pi - ly,
 Hap - pi - ly, hap - pi - ly Guard - ing thee,
 Hap - pi - ly, hap - pi - ly Guard - ing thee, Hap - pi - ly,

pp

51

peace - ful - ly, peace - ful - ly Watch - ing,

peace - ful - ly, peace - ful - ly Watch - ing thee.

8 peace - ful - ly, peace - ful - ly Watch - ing thee.

peace - ful - ly, peace - ful - ly Watch - ing thee,

dim.

55

Watch - - - - - ing thee.

pp

p sostenuto

Sleep, my

8 Watch - - - - - ing thee.

mf

sonore

p

Ped.

59

son, oh! slum - ber soft - ly, While thy

with closed lips *pp*

with closed lips *pp*

cresc.

Ped. *Ped.* *Ped.*

63

moth - er watch - es o'er thee, Noth - ing can af-fright or

dim.

tr

68

cresc. harm thee. *p* Sleep, oh! sleep, my

pp

pp

sf *f* *ten.*

72

D *pp* Far a-way

son. *pp* Far a-way

pp espress. Sleep, oh! sleep, my son. *pp* Far a-way

pp *poco cresc.*

Zith - ers play, Danc - ing gay, Calls to - day.

Zith - ers play, Danc - ing gay, Calls to - day.

Zith - ers play, dan - cing gay Calls to - day.

Sleep,

dim.

dim.

dim.

Ped. Ped.

Oh! sleep, my son.

Oh! sleep, my son.

oh! sleep, oh! sleep, my son.

Oh! sleep, my son.

cresc.

Ped.

dim.

pp *cresc. molto*

tr

91 **E**

f Far a - way _____ Zith - ers play. *dim.* *p* Vain - ly,

f Far a - way _____ Zith - ers play. *dim.*

8 *f* Far a - way _____ Zith - ers play. *dim.* *p* Vain - ly,

f Far a - way _____ Zith - ers, zith - ers play. *dim.* *p* Vain - ly,

f *p*

Ped. _____ Ped. _____ Ped. _____

96 *poco rit.* **F** *a tempo* *più lento*

vain - ly play. *pp*

Sleep, my son, oh! sleep, _____ oh!

8 vain - ly play.

vain - ly play. *più lento*

poco rit. *a tempo*

sfp

101 *rit. al fine*

dim.

sleep, _____ my son. _____

8

rit. al fine

pp

8ves ad lib.