

THE BIRD IN THE NEST

A Lullaby

For unaccompanied Ladies Voices (S. S. A.)

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Tempo moderato *Quietly and expressively*

mp

1st Soprano
Slum - ber, slum - ber lit - tle one now The

2nd Soprano
Slum - ber lit - tle one now The

Contralto
Slum - ber, slum - ber, lit - tle one now The

Piano
(for practice only)

mp

p

bird is a - sleep in his nest in the bough. The bird is a - sleep he has

p

bird is a - sleep in his nest in the bough. The bird is a -

pp

bird is a - sleep in his nest in the bough. Slum - ber —

To be sung in the key to suit voices.

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fold - ed his wings And o - ver him soft - ly the dream fai - ry sings -

-sleep he has fold - ed his wings - And soft - ly the dream fai - ry sings -

slum - ber soft - ly, soft - ly the dream fai - ry sings -

rall. *p a tempo*

lul - la - by. Pearls in the deep,

mp *p* *pp* *rall.* *p a tempo*

Lul - la - by, lul - la - by, lul - la - by. Pearls in the deep,

mp *p* *p a tempo*

Lul - la - by, lul - la - by. Pearls in the deep,

rall. *p a tempo*

p rall. e dim.

stars in the sky, Dreams in our sleep, so lul - la - by.

p rall. e dim.

stars in the sky, Dreams in our sleep, so lul - la - by.

p rall. e dim.

stars in the sky, Dreams in our sleep, so lul - la - by.

p rall. e dim.

mp a tempo

Slum - ber, slum - ber, lit - tle one soon The fai - ry will come in the

mp a tempo

Slum - ber, slum - ber, lit - tle one soon The fai - ry will come in the

mp a tempo

Slum - ber, slum - ber, lit - tle one slum - ber ry will come in the

mp a tempo

cresc.

ship of the moon, he fai - ry will come And

cresc.

ship of the moon. The fai - ry will come with the pearls and the stars And

cresc.

ship of the moon. The fai - ry will come with the pearls and the stars And

cresc.

pp

dreams will come sing - ing thro' sha - dow - y bars. Ah

mp *p*

dreams will come sing - ing thro' sha - dow - y bars. Lul - la - by, lul - la - by

pp

dreams will come sing - ing thro' sha - d'wy bars. Ah

pp

rall. *p a tempo* *mp*

Ah ——— Pearls in the deep, stars in the sky,

rall. *p a tempo* *mp*

lul - la - by. Pearls in the deep, stars in the sky,

rall. *p a tempo* *p*

Pearls in the deep, stars in the sky,

rall. *p a tempo* *mp*

p rall. e dim. *mp a tempo*

Dreams in our sleep so lul - la Slum - ber, slum - ber

p rall. e dim. *a tempo mp*

Dreams in our sleep so — lul - by Slum - ber

p rall. e dim. *mp a tempo*

Dreams in our sleep so — lul - la - by. Slum - ber, slum - ber

p rall. e dim. *mp a tempo*

lit - tle one, The stars are the pearls that the dream fai - ries know. The

lit - tle one, so, The stars are the pearls that the dream fai - ries know.

lit - tle one, so, The stars are the pearls that the dream fai - ries know.

stars are the pearls and the bird in the nest A dear lit-tle fel-low the

The stars are the pearls and the bird in the nest fel-low the

Ah (*soft*) ——— A dear lit-tle fel-low the

dim. e rall.

fai-ries love best. Hm (*or soft vowel*) ——— Lul-la-by.

dim. e rall.

fai-ries love best. Lul-la-by, lul-la-by, — lul-la-by.

dim. e rall.

fai-ries love best. Lul-la-by, lul-la-by, — lul-la-by.

dim. e rall.

pp a t. ——— *mp rall. e dim.*

Hm (*or soft vowel*) ——— Dreams in our sleep, so lul-la-by.

mp a tempo ——— *mp rall. e dim.*

Pearls in the deep, stars in the sky, Dreams in our sleep, so lul-la-by.

mp a tempo ——— *mp rall. e dim.*

Pearls in the deep, stars in the sky, Dreams in our sleep, so lul-la-by.

mp a tempo ——— *mp rall. e dim.*