

Lullaby, my sweet little baby

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Soprano *pp*
Lul - la lul - la - by, lu - la - by, _____

Alto 1 *pp*
Lul - la lul - la -

Alto 2 *pp*
Lul - la lul - la - by, lul - - - la - by, lul - la - by, _____

Tenor *pp*
Lul - la, lul - - la, lul - la lul - la - by, _____ lul -

Bass *pp*
Lul - la lul - la - by, lul - la - by, la lul - la - by, lul - - la -

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S. *mp*
lul - la lul - la - by, lul - la lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle ba -

S. *mp*
by, Lul - la lul - la - by. My

A. *mp*
Lul - la lul - la lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle ba - by,

T. *mp*
la, lul - la - by, la, lul - la lul - la - by. My sweet _____ lit -

B. *mp*
by, la, lul - la lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle ba -

S. *mf*
by, (my sweet lit - tle ba - by,) my sweet lit - tle ba - by, what

S. *mf*
sweet lit - tle ba - by, my sweet lit - tle ba - by, what mean -

A. *mf*
ba - by, my sweet lit - tle ba - by, ba - by what mean - est thou

T. *mf*
tle, lit - tle ba - by, my sweet lit - tle ba - by, what mean - est

B. *mf*
by, my sweet lit - tle ba - by, what mean - est thou to

26 *dim.* *p* *mf*
S. mean - est thou to cry? Lul - la lul - la - by, la lul - la, lul - la lul - la -

S. *dim.* *p*
est thou to cry? Lul - la lul - la - by, lul - la

A. *dim.* *p* *mf*
to cry? Lul - la lul - la - by, la, lul - la lul - la - by,

T. *dim.* *p* *mf*
thou to cry? Lul - la lul - la - by, lul - la -

B. *dim.* *p* *mf*
cry to cry? Lul - la lul - la - by, la lul - la, lul - la lul - la by,

34 *dim.* *p*
S. by, la lul - la lul - la - by, la lul - la, la lul - la - by,

S. *p*
lul - la - by, la, lul - la lul - la - by, la lul - la, la

A. *dim.* *p*
la lul - la lul - la - by, la, lul - la, lul - la lul - la - by, la lul - la lul - la - by, la lul -

T. *p*
by, la lul - la - by, la lul - la, la

B. *dim.* *p*
la lul - la - by, la lul - la - by, la lul - la

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S. la lul - la - by, la lul - la - by, lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle ba - by, ba -

S. lul - la - by, la lul - la - by, lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle ba -

A. *pp* la - by, la lul - la lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle ba - by, sweet

T. *pp* lul - la - by, la lul - la lul - la - by, lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle ba - by,

B. *pp* lul - la, la lul - la lul - la, la lul - la - by, lul - la - by. My sweet lit - tle

50 [$\leftarrow \circ = \circ \rightarrow$] *mp*

S. - - by. Be still, my bless - ed babe,

S. - - by. Be still, my

A. *mp* ba - - by. Be still, my bless - ed babe, my bless - ed

T. *mp* ba - - by. Be still, my bless - ed babe, bless - ed babe, be

B. *mp* ba - - by. Be still, my bless - ed babe, bless - ed babe, be

56 *mf*

S. my bless - ed babe, though cause thou hast to mourn, though cause thou

S. bless - ed babe, though cause thou hast to mourn,

A. *mf* babe, though cause thou hast to mourn, to mourn, Whose blood most

T. still, my bless - ed babe, though cause thou hast to mourn, to

B. *mf* still, my bless - ed babe, though cause thou hast to mourn, Whose

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S. *mf* hast to mourn, Whose blood most in - no - cent to shed the cru - el

S. *mf* Whose blood most in - no - cent to shed *f* the cru - el king

A. *f* in - no - cent to shed the cru - el king hath

T. *mf* mourn, Whose blood most in - no - cent *f* the cru - el king hath sworn, hath

B. blood most in - no - cent to shed, to shed

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S. *f* king hath sworn, the cru - el king hath sworn. And lo, a - las, be -

S. hath sworn, And lo, a - las, be -

A. sworn, (the cru - el king hath sworn.) And lo, a - las, be -

T. sworn, the cru - el king hath sworn. And lo, a - las, be - hold,

B. *f* the cru - el king hath sworn, hath sworn. And lo, a - las, be -

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S. - hold, what slaugh - ter he doth make, Shed - ding the blood of

S. hold, what slaugh - ter he doth make,

A. hold, be - hold, what slaugh - ter he doth make, Shed - ding the blood of *dim.*

T. what slaugh - ter he doth make, he doth make, he doth make, Shed - ding the

B. - hold, what slaugh - ter he doth make, what slaugh - ter he doth

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S. in - fants all, of in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi -

S. Shed - ding the blood of in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi - our,

A. in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi - our, for thy

T. blood of, of in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi - our, for thy

B. make, Shed - ding the blood of in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi -

dim. *mp* *dim.* *mp* *mp* *dim.* *mp* *dim.* *mp*

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S. our, for thy sake, for thy sake. A King, a King is born, they

S. for thy sake. A King is born, they say,

A. sake, for thy sake. A King is born, they say,

T. sake, for thy sake. A King is born, they say, which

B. our, for thy sake, for thy sake. A King is born, they say, which

f *f* *f* *f* *f*

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S. say, which King this king would kill. O woe, woe,

S. which King this king would kill. O

A. which King this king would kill, would kill. O woe, and woe - ful hea -

T. King this king would kill, would kill. O woe, woe, O woe,

B. King this king would kill, would kill. O woe, O woe,

p *p* *p* *p* *p*

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S. O woe, and woe - ful, and woe - ful hea - vy

S. woe, O woe, and woe - ful hea - vy

A. vy day, O woe, and woe - ful hea - vy day,

T. woe, O woe, and woe - ful hea - vy

B. O woe, woe, O woe, and woe - ful hea - vy

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S. day, hea - vy day, when wretch - es have *mf*

S. day, when wretch - es have their will, (when wretch - *mf*

A. when wretch - es have their will, have their will, have their will, *mf*

T. day, when wretch - es have their will, have their will, when wretch - es have *mf*

B. day, hea - vy day, when wretch - es have their will, have their will, *mf*

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S. their will, (when wretch - es have their will.) will. *dim.* 1. *pp* 2. *pp*

S. - es have their will,) have their will. will. *dim.* *pp*

A. when wretch - es have their will. O will. *dim.* *p* *pp*

T. their will, (when wretch - es have their will.) will. *dim.* *pp*

B. their will, when wretch - es have their will. will. *dim.* *pp*