

# 2. AWAY IN A MANGER

(First tune)

Words anon.

Tune by W.J. KIRKPATRICK (1838-1921)  
arranged by DAVID WILLCOCKS

**Simply**

SOPRANO  
ALTO

*pp* 1. A - way in a\_\_\_ man-ger, no\_\_\_ crib for a bed, The\_\_\_  
*P* 2. The cat - tle are\_\_\_ low - ing, the\_\_\_ ba - by a - wakes, But\_\_\_  
*pp* 3. Be near me, Lord Je - sus; I\_\_\_ ask thee to stay Close

TENOR  
BASS

lit - tle\_\_\_ Lord Je - sus laid\_\_\_ down his sweet head. The\_\_\_  
 lit - tle\_\_\_ Lord Je - sus no\_\_\_ cry - ing he makes. *poco cresc.* I\_\_\_  
 by\_\_\_ me\_\_\_ for e - ver, and\_\_\_ love me, I pray. Bless

stars in the\_\_\_ bright sky looked down where he\_\_\_ lay, The\_\_\_  
 love thee, Lord Je - sus! Look down from the\_\_\_ sky, And\_\_\_  
 all the dear\_\_\_ chil - dren in\_\_\_ thy\_\_\_ ten - der\_\_\_ care, And\_\_\_

lit - tle\_\_\_ Lord Je - sus\_\_\_ a - sleep\_\_\_ on the\_\_\_ hay.  
 stay\_\_\_ by\_\_\_ my\_\_\_ side un - til\_\_\_ morn - ing is\_\_\_ nigh.  
 fit\_\_\_ us\_\_\_ for\_\_\_ hea - ven,\_\_\_ to\_\_\_ live\_\_\_ with thee\_\_\_ there.

In verse 3 the whole choir may hum whilst a treble soloist sings the words.