

Away in a Manger

James R. Murray (1887)/William J. Kirkpatrick (1895)

G C G
Away in a manger, no crib for His bed,
D G
The little Lord Jesus lay down his sweet head.
C G
The stars in the sky looked down where He lay,
Am G C D G
The little Lord Jesus, asleep on the hay.

G C G
The cattle are lowing, the poor baby wakes,
D G
But little Lord Jesus, no crying He makes;
C G
I love Thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the sky
Am G C D G
And stay by my cradle, till morning is nigh.

G C G
Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask Thee to stay,
D G
Close by me forever, and love me, I pray!
C G
Bless all the dear children in Thy tender care
Am G C D G
And take us to heaven, to Live with Thee there.