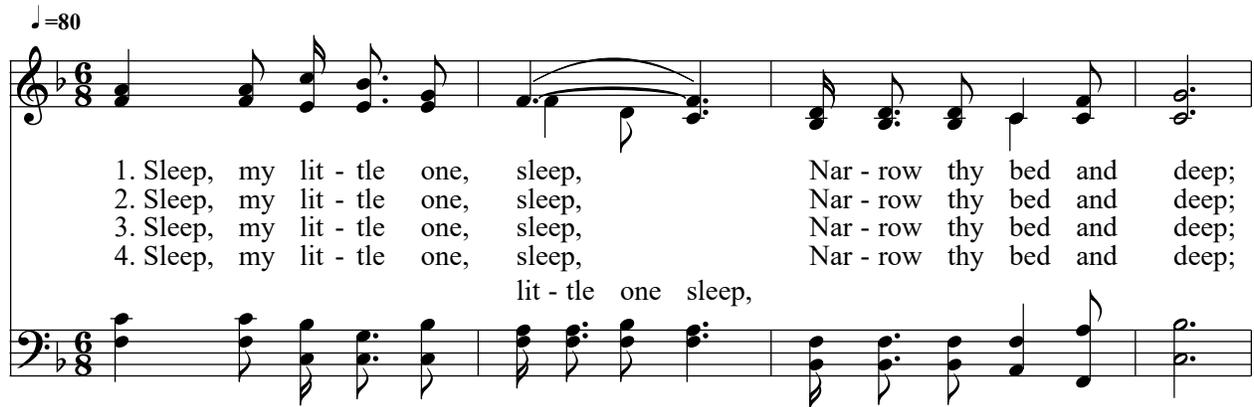


Sleep, My Little One, Sleep

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1. Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, Nar - row thy bed and deep;
2. Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, Nar - row thy bed and deep;
3. Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, Nar - row thy bed and deep;
4. Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, Nar - row thy bed and deep;
lit - tle one sleep,



Hun - ger, nor thirst, nor cru - el pain, Ev - er can hurt my babe a - gain;
Soon in the an - gels' ten - der arms, Close shel - tered there from earth's a - larms,
Fold - ed your hands in death's mute prayer, Ne - ver to reach in wild des - pair,
I, too, shall soon be laid to rest, Close by the side of ba - by blest;



I, thy mo - ther, will bend and sing, Watch thee slum - ber - ing.
Thou wilt wak - en, sweet ba - by mine, In thy home di - vine.
Hun - ger, an - guish, will soon be o'er, I can weep no more;
Safe is ba - by, earth's an - guish done, Keep thee, ho - ly one;



Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, sleep.
little one, sleep, Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep.