

# Away in a Manger

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Text: *Little Children's Book*,  
Philadelphia, 1885

Tune: James R. Murray, 1841-1905

Arrangement: Blake Flattley & Peter Prochnow

Setting: Benje Daneman

## Lead Sheet

### Intro

♩ = 120

F B $\flat$  F Gmin F B $\flat$  F Csus ,

*mp*

1. A -  
2. The  
3. Be

### Setting 1

9 *f* F F/C Dmin C<sup>5</sup>

way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, The  
cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes, But  
near me, Lord Je - sus; I ask Thee to stay Close

13 F C<sup>5</sup> B $\flat$ add<sup>9</sup> F

lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down His sweet head. The  
lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing He makes. I  
by me for - ev - er and love me, I pray. Bless

17 Dmin F/C Dmin F

stars in the 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

To ENDING  
last time



### Interlude

21 B $\flat$  Amin Edim<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup> F B $\flat$  F Csus

lit - tle Lord Je - sus a - sleep on the hay. *mf*  
stay by my cra - dle till morn - ing is nigh.  
take us to heav - en to live with Thee there.

2. The  
3. Be

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## Setting 2

28 Dmin Bb Amin<sup>7</sup>

*f*

32 C Dmin<sup>7</sup>

36 Amin<sup>7</sup> Dmin Gmin<sup>7</sup> F Gmin F/A C<sup>2</sup>

To ENDING last time

## Interlude

43 F Bb F Csus

*mf*

## Ending

47 F Bb F Gmin

*mp*

51 F Bb F Csus F

*rit.*

Note to Director: Settings 1 and 2 are optional and can be substituted at anytime within the song.  
The song can be played in both settings. The intro and ending works with either.