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Away in a Manger Kirkpatrick, William James

About the artist

Doctor in musicology, conductor and composer.

Compositions and arrangements from all eras, in all styles or musical genres and for any instrument or vocal training.

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About the piece



Title: Away in a Manger

Composer: Kirkpatrick, William James

Arranger: Dewagtere, Bernard

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Instrumentation: harmonica (chromatic), piano or organ or guitar

Style: Christmas - Carols

Comment: "Away in a Manger" is a Christmas carol first published in 1885 in Philadelphia and widely used in the English-speaking world. In Britain, it is one of the most popular songs. There are two different tunes for "Away in a Manger," one of William J. Kirkpatrick (1885), the other by James R. Murray (1887). Both versions fit together quite well.

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Away in a Manger

2 : Play the number 2 blow hole (souffler)

2' : Play the number 2 draw hole (aspirer)

*3' : push-pull (tirette poussée)

James R. Murray (1887)

Arr. : Bernard Dewagtere

Harmonica
chromatique
Straight harp
1ère position

♩ = 80 1 2' 2' 3 3' 2' 2' 3' *3' 4 4 5' *3' 3 3'

1. *mf* The way cat in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, the
2. *mf* The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by Dm wakes; G m/A But
F 8fr. C 3fr. F 8fr. Dm 3fr. G m 3fr.

♩ = 80

Piano

mf

*3' *3' 4 3' 3' 2' 3' 3 1' 2' 2 1 2' 2' 3 3'

6 lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down His sweet head; The stars in the
lit - tle Lord Je - sus no cry - ing He makes: I love Thee, Lord
C7 G m C F D m D m/C G C 3fr. F 8fr. C 3fr.

6

Pno

2' 2' 3' *3' 4 4 5' *3' 3 3' *3' *3' 4 3' 3' 2' 3'

11 bright sky; looked down where He lay, the lit - tle Lord Je - sus a
Je - sus; look down from the sky, and stay by my side un - til
Dm A m7 A m F D m G m7 C 3fr. F 8fr. Dm 8fr. F 8fr.

11

Pno

Away in a Manger

3 1' 2 2' 6 6' 6' 6' 4 *3' 3' 6' 6 6'

16

sleep on the hay. A way in a man - ger no crib for a -
mor - ning is nigh. The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a -
G m C C7 F C F D m

3fr. 3fr. 3fr. 3fr. 8fr. 8fr.

Pno

6' 6 5' 4 4 5' 4 6 6 6' 6 5' 5' 7 6' 7 6

21

bed, _____ the But lit - tle Lord Je - sus, laid down His sweet head; The
wakes; _____ But lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing He makes: I
G m7 C/B C7 F D m G m G m7 C

3fr. 3fr. 8fr. 3fr. 3fr. 3fr.

Pno

6' 6' 6' 4 *3' 3' 6' 6 6' 6' 6 5' 4 4 5' 4 6

26

stars love in the Lord bright Je - sus; looked down where He lay, _____ the and lit - tle Lord
love Thee, Lord Je - sus; look down from the sky, _____ and stay - tle by my
F D m G m7 C/B C7

8fr. 8fr. 3fr.

Pno

6 6' 6 5' 5' 4 *3' 3' 1 3' 1 2' 2' 3 3'

31

Je - sus a sleep on the hay. The nigh. 3. Be near me, Lord
side un - til D m mor - ning D m7 is C7 F *f* F *mp*

8fr. 3fr. 3fr. 3fr. 8fr. 8fr.

Pno

1. 2. 1. 2.

mf *mp*

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3

2' 2' 3' *3' 4 4 5' *3' 3 3' *3' *3' 4 3' 3' 2' 3'

36

Je - sus: I ask Thee to stay. Close by me for e - ver, and

Pno

36

3 1' 2' 2 1 2' 2' 3 3' 2' 2' 3' *3' 4 4 5' *3' 3 3'

41

love me, I pray; *p* Bless all the dear chil - dren in Thy ten - der care, and

D 5fr. G m 3fr.

Pno

41

p p

*3' *3' 4 3 3' 3' 2' 3' 3 1' 2 2 2' 3' 3 5' 4 6'

47

fit us for hea - ven to live with Thee there, to live with Thee there.

C7 F D m7 G m C7 A7 D m G m G m7 C7 F

8fr. 3fr. 8fr.

Pno

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