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(Lullaby)

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"SWEET BABY, SLEEP!"

LULLABY.

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Sweet ba _ _ _by, sleep! What ails my

dear? What ails my dar _ ling thus to cry? Be still, my

child, and lend thine ear, To hear me sing thy lul _ la _

_ by? My pret _ _ _ ty lamb, for _ bear to weep; Be still my

dear, sweet ba _ _ _ by sleep, My pret _ _ _ ty lamb, for _ bear to

weep, Be still, my dear, sweet ba _ by sleep! . . . .

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When God with us was dwell_ _ing here In lit_ _ _tle babes He took de_ _light; Such in_ _ _no_cents as thou my dear, Are e_ _ _ver pre_ _cious in His sight. Sweet ba_ _by then for_bear to

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weep, Be still, my babe, Sweet ba _ _ _by sleep, Sweet ba _ _ _by,

then for_bear to weep, Be still, my babe, sweet ba _ _ _by

sleep!. . . . .

A lit _ _ _tle in _ _ _fant once was He, And strength in

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weak_ness then was laid Up_on His vir_ _gin mo_ther's

knee, That power to thee might be con_vey'd Sweet ba_ _ _by,

then for_bear to weep, Be still, my babe, Sweet ba_ _by

sleep, Sweet ba_ _ _by, then for_bear to weep, Be still, my

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babe, sweet ba_ _by sleep............. Sweet ba _ _ _ _ _

_ by, Sleep!.................... Sleep!........

.... sweet .... Sleep!........................

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