

Lullaby, My Sweet Little Baby

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Lul - la, Lul - la - by, lul - la - by,

Lul - la, Lul - la - by, lul - la - by,

Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la lul - la - by,

Lul - la, lul - la - by, lul - la - by, la lul - la - by,

lul - la, lul - la - by, lu - la, lul - la-

Lul - la, lul - la - by, lul - la, lul - la-

lul - la - by, lul - la, lul - la, lul - la-

lul - la, lul - la - by, la, lul-la, lul-la-

lul - la - by, la, lul - la lul - la - by.

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by. My sweet lit-tle ba-by, my sweet lit-tle
 by. My sweet lit-tle ba-by,
 by. My sweet lit-tle ba-by, ba-by, my sweet lit-tle
 by. My sweet lit-tle, lit-tle ba-
 My sweet lit-tle ba-by, my sweet lit-tle

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ba-by. My sweet lit-tle ba-by, what mean-est thou
 my sweet lit-tle ba-by, what mean-est thou
 ba-by, ba-by, what mean-est thou to
 by, my sweet lit-tle ba-by, what mean-est thou to
 ba-by, what mean-est thou to cry, to

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to cry? Lul-la lul-la-by, la lul-la, lul-la lul-la
 to cry? Lul-la lul-la-by, lul-la
 cry? Lul-la lul-la-by, la, lul-la-lul-la-by,
 cry? Lul-la lul-la-by, lul-la
 cry? Lul-la lul-la-by, la lul-la, lul-la lul-la-by,

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by, la lul-la lul-la - by, la lul - la,
lul-la-by, la lul-la lul-la - by, la
la lul-la lul-la - by, la, lul-la, lu-la, lul-la by, la lul - la
by, la lul - la - by, la
la lul - la - by, la lul - la-

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la lul-la-by, la lul-la-by, la lul - la - by, lul - la-
lul - la, la lul-la-by, la lul-la-by, lul - la-
lul - la by, la lul - la - by, la lul - la lul - la-by, my
lul - la, la lul - la - by, la lul - la lul - la-by, lul - la-
by, la lul - la lul - la, la lul-la lul - la, la lul-la-by, lul - la-

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by, my sweet lit-tle ba - by, ba by. by.
by, my sweet lit-tle ba by. by. by.
sweet lit - tle ba - by, sweet ba - by.
by, my sweet lit-tle ba - by, ba - by. Be still,
by, my sweet lit-tle ba - by. Be still, my

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Be still, my bless - ed babe, my bless - ed

Be still, my bless - ed

Be still, my bless - ed babe, my bless - ed

my bless - ed babe, bless - ed babe, be still,

bless - ed babe, bless - ed babe, be still, my

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babe, though cause thou hast to

babe, though cause thou hast to

babe, though cause thou hast to mourn, to mourn,

my bless - ed babe, though cause thou hast to mourn,

bless - ed babe, though cause thou hast to

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mourn, though cause thou hast to mourn, whose blood most

mourn, whose blood most in - no - cent

whose blood most in - no - cent to shed

to mourn, whose blood most in - no - cent the

mourn, whose blood most in - no - cent to

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in - no - cent to shed the cru - el king hath

to shed the cru - el king hath

the cru - el king hath sworn, the

cru - el king hath sworn, hath sworn,

shed, to shed, the cru - el

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sworn, the cru-el king hath sworn. And lo, a - las, be-

sworn, And, lo, a - las, be-

cru - el king hath sworn. And lo, a - las, be-

the cru- el king hath sworn. An lo, a - las, be - hold,

king hath sworn, hath sworn. And lo, a - las, be-

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- hold. what slaugh - ter he doth make,

- hold, what slaugh - ter he doth

- hold, be - hold, what slaugh - ter he doth

what slaugh - ter he doth make, he doth make, he-

- hold, what slaugh - ter he doth make,

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shed - ding the blood of in - fants all,
 make, shed - ding the blood of
 make, shed - ding the blood of in - fants all,
 doth make, shed - ding the blood of, of in -
 what slaugh - ter he doth make, shed - ding the

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of in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi - our, for thy
 in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi - our, for thy
 sweet Sa - vi - our, for thy
 fants all, seet Sa - vi - our, for thy
 blood of in - fants all, sweet Sa - vi - our, for thy

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sake, for thy sake. A King, a King is born, they
 sake. A King is born, they say,
 sake, for thy sake. A King is born, they say,
 sake, for thy sake. A King is born, they say, which
 sake, for thy sake. A King is born, they say, which

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say, which King this king would kill. O

which King this king would kill.

which King this king would kill, would kill. O woe, and

King this king would kill, would kill. O woe,

King this king would kill, would kill. O woe, O

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woe, woe, O woe, and woe-

O woe, O woe and

woe - ful hea - vy day, O woe, and woe-

woe, O woe, woe, O woe, and woe-

woe, O woe, woe, O woe,

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- ful, and woe - ful hea - vy day, hea - vy day,

woe - ful heav - y day, when

- ful hea - vy day, when wretch - es have their

- ful hea - vy day, when wretch - es have their

and woe - ful hea - vy day, hea - vy day, when

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when wretch - es have their will, when
wretch - es have their will, when wretch - es have their
will, have their will, have their will, when wretch -
will, have their will, when wretch - es have their will,
wretch - es have their will, have their will, their will, when

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wretch - es have their will. wretch - es
will, have their will. will, have
- es have their will. O -es have their
when wretch - es have their will. when wretch -
wretch - es have their will. wretch - es have

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have their will.
their will
will.
- es have their will.
their will.