

4. A Cradle Song

Music: Judith Vander
Text: William Blake

Andante
♩ = 112

mp

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

Sweet dreams form a shade,
Sweet dreams form a shade,
Sweet dreams form a shade,
Sweet dreams form a shade,

mp
mp
mp
mp

Andante
♩ = 112

p
mf
mp

Piano

Sweet dreams _____

S.
A.
T.
B.

O'er my love - ly in - fants head. _____
O'er my love - ly in - fants head. _____
head. _____
head.

(mp)
mf
f
sf
p sub.

Pno.

S. Sweet dreams of plea - sant streams, - By

A.

T. Sweet dreams of plea - sant streams, - By

B.

Pno. 12 Sweet dreams _____

mp

3 3 3 3

S. hap - py si - lent moo - ny beams. _____

A. si - lent

T. hap - py si - lent moo - ny beams. _____

B. si - lent

Pno. 16 *ppp* *gva* *mp* *f* *mf*

whisper *mp* *mf* *mp*

whisper *whisper* *whisper*

3 *gva*

4. A Cradle Song

A **Faster** ♩ = 168

S. *mp*
Sweet sleep with soft down, Weave thy brows an

A. *mp*
Sweet sleep with soft down, Weave thy brows an

T. *mp*
Sweet sleep with

B. *mp*
Sweet sleep

21 **A** **Faster** ♩ = 168

Pno. *mp*

S. *mf*
in - - - fant crown.

A. *mf* *mp*
in - in - fant crown. Sweet sleep

T. *mf*
in - in - fant crown.

B. *mf*
in - - - fant crown.

Pno. *cresc.* *mf* *mp*

S. *mp* *mf*

A. *p* *mp* *mf*

T. *p* *mf*

B. *p* *mf*

Pno. *mf*

33

Ho - ver o'er my hap - py child.

An - gel mild, Ho - ver o'er my hap - py child. —

An - gel mild, hap - py child. —

An - gel mild, hap - py child.

B Tempo I^o (♩ = 112)

S. *mp*

A. *mp*

T. *mp*

B. *mp*

Pno. *mp*

39 **B** Tempo I^o (♩ = 112)

Sweet smiles in the night, — Ho - ver

Sweet smiles — in the night, — Ho - ver

Sweet smiles — in the night, —

Sweet smiles

S. o - ver my de - light. Sweet smiles Mo - ther's smiles

A. o - ver my de - light.

T. my de - light. Sweet smiles Mo - ther's smiles

B. my de - light. Sweet smiles

Pno. 42

S. All the live - long

A. All the live - long

T. night be - guiles.

B. night be - guiles.

Pno. 47

C Tempo II^o

(♩ = 168)

mp

S. *mp*
dove - like sighs, Chase not

A. *mp*
Sweet moans, Chase not

T. *mp*
Sweet — moans, — dove - like sighs,

B. *mp*
Sweet moans, dove - like sighs,

C Tempo II^o (♩ = 168)

gva

Pno. *mp*

51

S. slum - ber from thy eyes. *mp*

A. slum - ber from — thy — eyes — eyes. — Sweet moans,

T. *mp*
from — thy — eyes eyes. — Sweet — moans, —

B. *mp*
from thy eyes. — Sweet moans,

Pno. *mp*

59

mp

S. All the dove-like moans

A. sweet-er smiles, All the dove-like moans

T. sweet-er smiles,

B. sweet-er smiles,

Pno.

D Tempo I^o

mf *rit.* *mp*

S. be-guiles be-guiles. — Sleep sleep hap-py child. —

A. be-guiles be-guiles. —

T. be-guiles be-guiles. — Sleep sleep — hap-py child. —

B. be-guiles be-guiles. Sleep —

Pno.

71 *rit.* **D** Tempo I^o

mp

S. All cre - a - tion slept and smil'd. — Sleep sleep, hap - py sleep, —

A. *mp* All — cre - a - tion slept and smil'd. —

T. ₈ Sleep sleep, — hap - py sleep, —

B. Sleep sleep, —

Pno. ₇₇

S. While o'er thee thy *mf* mo-ther weep. — *f*

A. ₅ While o'er thee thy *mf* mo-ther weep. — *f*

T. ₈ While o'er thee thy *mf* mo-ther weep. — *f*

B. ₅ While o'er thee thy *mf* mo-ther weep. — *f*

Pno. ₈₁ *mf* *f* *pp sub.*

E Tempo II^o

mf

S. Sweet babe in — they face, — Ho - ly im - age

A. — — — — — *mf* Ho - ly im - age

T. *mf* Sweet — babe — in they face,

B. *mf* Sweet babe in they — face,

85 **E** Tempo II^o

Pno. *mf*

S. I can trace.

A. I can — trace. *p* Sweet *mp* babe once like

T. I trace. *mp* Sweet — babe — once like

B. I trace. *mp* Sweet babe once like

Pno. *mf* *mp*

mp

S. Thy ma - ker lay and wept — for

A. thee, — Thy ma - ker lay — and wept — for

T. thee,

B. — — — — —

Pno. 96 thee, —

F Tempo I^o

f

S. me Wept for me for thee for

A. me Wept for me for thee for

T. Wept for me for thee for

B. Wept for me for thee for

Pno. 103 *mf* *f*

mf

S. all, —

mf

A. all, —

mf

T. ⁸ all, — When he was an in - fant small.

mf

B. all, — When he was an in - fant small. Thou his im - age e - ver see, —

108

Pno. *mf*

G **Tempo II^o**

mp

S. Hea - ven - ly face — that smiles on thee, *mf*

mp

A. Hea - ven - ly face — that smiles on thee, *mp* Smiles on thee on

mp *mf* *mp*

T. ⁸ smiles on thee, — Smiles thee

mp *mf* *mp*

B. smiles on thee, — Smiles thee

113

Pno. *mf* *mp*

solo
mp

S. Who — be - came an in - fant small,

A. me — on all, —

T. me on all, —

B.

Pno. 119 me all,

tutti
mf

S. Hea - ven and earth —

A. *mp* In - fant smiles are his own smiles. —

T. *mp* In - fant smiles are his own smiles. *mf* Hea - ven and earth

B. In - fant smiles his own smiles.

Pno. 125 *mf* *8va*

S. *mp*
to peace — be - guiles
be - guiles

A. *mp*
be - guiles

T. *mp*
be - guiles

B. *mf* *mp*
to peace — be - guiles

Pno. *mp*
132 *gtr*

S. *p* *rit.*
be - guiles.

A. *p*
be - guiles — be - guiles be - guiles.

T. *p*
be - guiles be - guiles — be - guiles.

B. *p*
be - guiles.

Pno. *p* *rit.*
140 *gtr*