

AWAY IN A MANGER

1. A - way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, The
 2. The cat - tle are low - ing, the ba - by a - wakes, But
 3. Be near me, Lord Je - sus! I ask thee to stay Close

1. lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down his sweet head. The
 2. lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing he makes. I
 3. by me for - ev - er, and love me, I pray. Bless

1. stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay, The
 2. love thee, Lord Je - sus! Look down from the sky, And
 3. all the dear chil - dren in thy ten - der care, And

1. lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay.
 2. stay by my side un - til morn - ing is nigh.
 3. fit us for heav - en, to live with thee there.

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