

# Let My Saviour Sleep

Gently

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The musical score is written for piano and voice in 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The tempo is marked 'Gently'. The score consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line in the left hand and a more melodic line in the right hand. The chords are indicated above the staff: Bm, G, F#, Bm for the first system; D, A, G, D, G, F# for the second; G, A, G, A, Bm for the third; and G, F#, Bm for the fourth.

Bm G F# Bm

Low - ly ca - ttle, gath-ered round, let the ba - by sleep.

5 D A G D G F#

Hush now, do not make a sound: let the ba - by sleep.

9 G A G A Bm

Wond - er - ful is the sight in your sta - ble on this night.

13 G F# Bm

Still, un-til the morn - ing light let my Sav - iour sleep.

1. Lowly cattle, gathered round,  
Let the baby sleep.  
Hush now, do not make a sound:  
Let the baby sleep.  
Wonderful is the sight  
In your stable on this night.  
Still, until the morning light  
Let my Saviour sleep.

2. Mary, Joseph, standing by,  
Let the baby sleep.  
You will hold him should he cry;  
Let the baby sleep.  
Wonderful is the sight  
Of God's son born on this night!  
Still, until the morning light  
Let my Saviour sleep.

3. Shepherds, summoned to this place,  
Let the baby sleep.  
Gaze upon your Saviour's face;  
Let the baby sleep.  
Wonderful news this night  
Brought you running to the sight.  
Still, until the morning light  
Let my Saviour sleep.

4. Wise men, led here by a star,  
Let the baby sleep.  
Though in faith you travelled far,  
Let the baby sleep.  
Wonderful is the sight:  
Prophecies of old prove right.  
Still, until the morning light  
Let my Saviour sleep.