

for the Choir of Wells Cathedral and
dedicated to my father on his 75th birthday

Lullay, my liking

Anon. 15th cent.

MATTHEW OWENS

Espressivo e teneramente ♩ = c.72

**SOPRANO
ALTO**

**TENOR
BASS**

p

Lul - lay, my lik - ing, my dear son, my sweet - ing;

p

5

Lul - lay, my dear heart, mine own dear dar - - ling!

Verse 1
♩ = c.88
SOPRANO SOLO

10

mp *mf* *mp*

1. I saw a fair maid - en sit - ten and sing: She

15

lull - ed a lit - tle child, a swee - te lord - ing.

Some solos may alternatively be sung by a tenor if preferred.

Duration: 4.5 mins

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REFRAIN

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19 *p*

S. A. *p*

Lul - lay, my lik - ing, my dear son, my sweet - ing;

T. B. *p*

23

Lul - lay, my dear heart, mine own dear dar - ling!

Verse 2

 $\text{♩} = c.92$

SOPRANO SOLO

28 *mp* *cresc.*

2. That e - ter - nal Lord is he that made al - le thing: Of al - le

35 *f dolce* *Refrain (b. 19)*

lord - es he is Lord, of al - le king - es King.

Verse 3

 $\text{♩} = c.92$

SOPRANO SOLO

42 *mf gioioso* *cresc.*

3. There was mic - kle me - lo - dy at that Child - es birth: Al -

47 *f dolce* *Refrain (b. 19)*

- though they were in hea - ven's bliss they made mic - kle mirth.

Verse 4

 $\text{♩} = c.84$

FULL SOPRANOS AND TENORS

51 *f* 4. An - gels bright they sang that night, and said - en to that Child;

55 *Refrain (b. 19)*
'Bless - ed be thou, and so be she that is both meek and mild!

Verse 5

 $\text{♩} = c.84$

SOPRANO SOLO

59 *mp* 5. Pray we now to that Child and to his mo - ther dear, God

63 grant them all his bless - ing that now mak - en cheer!

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67 *p*
S. A. Lul - lay, my lik - ing, my dear son, my sweet - ing;
T. B. *p*

71 *rall.* *pp*
Lul - lay, my dear heart, mine own dear dar - ling!
pp

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