

Beautiful Child of Song

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Piu Lento

9 Dm A7 Dm Dm A7 Dm

1. Come, I am long-ing to hear thee, Beau - ti - ful child ___ of song! ___
2. Come, for the spell of a fai - ry Dwells in thy mag - i - cal voice; ___
3. Come fill the air with thy num - bers Come from the an - gels a - mong; ___

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13 B \flat A Dm G7 C

Come, tho' the hearts that are near thee A - round thee de - vo - ted - ly throng,
 And at thy step light and air - y E'en cold hearts in rap - ture re - jice. —
 Wake my dull soul from its slum - bers, Oh beau - ti - ful child of song! —

REFRAIN C7 F Gm/B \flat A

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Come, I am long - ing to hear thee, Beau - ti - ful child of song!

21 C7 F

Come, I am long - ing to hear thee,

25 C F B \flat F

Beau-ti - ful child of song! — I'm long - ing to hear thee car - ol thy

29 C7sus C7 F

lay, sweet child of song. —

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