

Rest, My Darling, Slumber Now

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A Lullaby

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Andante

The piano introduction consists of four measures. The right hand features a melody of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The left hand plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment: G3, A3, B3, C4, B3, A3, G3.

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Oh! my dar - ling, thou art wea - ry, Lay your head up -
Rest, my dar - ling, while thy moth - er Through the night a

The vocal line begins at measure 5 with a half note G4. The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note pattern in the left hand and a melody of quarter notes in the right hand: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4.

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on my breast; — Let me press you to my bos - om,
guard doth keep; — Want and sor - row, pain and sick - ness,

The vocal line continues at measure 8 with a half note G4. The piano accompaniment continues with the same eighth-note pattern in the left hand and a melody of quarter notes in the right hand: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4.

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While I sing you now to rest; For your moth - er
Are for - got - ten while you sleep; An - gel hands will

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watch - es o'er you, Gen - tly rest your ach - ing brow; While the storm with -
gen - tly soothe thee, With their wings they'll fan thy brow; 'Till the break - ing

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out is rag - ing, Rest, my dar - ling, slum - ber now.
of the mor - row, Sleep, my dar - ling, slum - ber now.

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Rest, my dar - ling, while the an - gels Hov - er round thee from a - bove;

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Sleep un - til the storm is o - ver, Rest, my dar - ling, slum - ber now.

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