

for the Brigham Young University Concert Choir
AWAY IN A MANGER

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for Mixed Voices, S. A. T. B., with Piano or Organ (or Small Orchestra*)

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Andante espressivo ma semplice (♩ = 66)

The musical score is written for mixed voices (S.A.T.B.) and piano/organ or small orchestra. It begins with a piano introduction for Oboe and Strings, marked *p*. The tempo is *Andante espressivo ma semplice* with a quarter note equal to 66 beats per minute. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 3/4. The vocal parts enter at measure 5, with the Alto part marked *p*. The lyrics are: "way in a man - ger, no crib for a bed, The lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down his sweet head. The". The score includes measures 5, 9, and 13, with corresponding lyrics. The piano accompaniment features flowing arpeggiated figures in the right hand and sustained chords in the left hand.

* Instrumentation: Fl, Ob, 2Hn, Hp, Strings. Full score and parts available from the publisher.
Note: The Keyboard accompaniment is not a literal reduction of the orchestral score.

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(17)

stars in the — bright sky looked — down where He lay, The —

(21)

lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay.

*Fl.

+Ob.

(25)

* This line should be played by flute or as a 4-hand primo part.
If accompanied by organ a solo-stop should be used.