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Callisto's Lullaby

For Choir (SATB)

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Duration: 5 min.

CALLISTO'S LULLABY [Mercedes Kemp]

O child of mine for to keep you warm
 How I wish that I could have
 A cradle dressed with cloth of gold
 But all I have
 Is my own bare arms
 O baby of mine.

Sleep, baby sleep
The wind's in the trees
The birds have all folded their wings

O child of mine for to keep you well
 How I wish that I could have
 A dish of pearl with honey sweet
 But all I have
 Is the forest fruits
 O baby of mine

Sleep, baby sleep
The wind's in the trees
The birds have all folded their wings

O child of mine for to keep you safe
 How I wish that I could have
 A diamond knife with blade so sharp
 But all I have
 Is my own stout heart
 O baby of mine

Sleep, baby sleep
The wind's in the trees
The birds have all folded their wings

B

10 *[sopr. solo only during 3rd verse]*

S. Solo *mp*

Sleep, ba - by, sleep_____ The wind's in the trees_____

S. *(sempre p)*

child of mine for to keep you warm How I wish that I could have_____ A
 child of mine for to keep you well How I wish that I could have_____ A
 child of mine for to keep you safe How I wish that I could have_____ A

A. *(sempre pp)*

child of mine, child of mine, How I wish that I_____ could have A
 A
 A

T. *(sempre pp)*

Child_____ of mine,_____ O child_____ of mine,_____ O A
 A
 A

B. *(unis)(sempre pp)*

O_____ child_____ of_____ mine_____

14 *(mp)* *mf* *mp*

S. Solo

Sleep, ba - by, sleep_____ The wind's in the

S. *(p)* *mp* *p*

cra - dle dressed with a cloth of gold But all I have Is my
 dish of pearl with ho - ney sweet But all I have Is the
 dia - mond knife with blade so sharp But all I have Is my

A. *(pp)* *mp* *p*

cra - dle dressed with a cloth of gold But all I have Is my
 dish of pearl with ho - ney sweet But all I have Is the
 dia - mond knife with blade so sharp But all I have Is my

T. *(pp)* *mp* *p*

crad - le dressed with a cloth of gold But all I have Is my
 dish of pearl with ho - ney sweet But all I have Is the
 dia - mond knife with blade so sharp But all I have Is my

B. *(pp)* *mp* *p*

O_____ child_____ But all I have Is my
 But all I have Is the
 But all I have Is my

17 *poco rall.* *dolce espress.* *ppp* *p* *pppp*

S. Solo *pp* *dolce espress.* *ppp* *p* *pppp*

S. *pp* *dolce espress.* *ppp* *p* *pppp*

A. *pp* *dolce espress.* *ppp* *p* *pppp*

T. *pp* *dolce espress.* *ppp* *p* *pppp*

B. *pp* *dolce espress.* *ppp* *p* *pppp*

trees. —————

own bare arms O ba - by of mine.
fo - rest fruits O ba - by of mine.
own stout heart O ba - by of mine.

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C

A tempo (♩.=32) [only from 3rd time: **poco meno mosso** (♩.=28)]

19 *pp* *p* *pp* *mp*

S. *pp* *p* *pp* *mp*

A. *pp* *p* *pp* *mp*

T. *pp* *p* *pp* *mp*

B. *pp* *p* *pp* *mp*

Sleep, ba - by, sleep ——— The wind's in the trees

Sleep, ba - by, sleep ——— The wind's in the trees

Sleep, ba - by, sleep ——— Wind's in the trees ———

Sleep, ba - by, sleep ——— Wind's in the trees ———

1. *p sub.* *ppp p*

S. 23 Sleep, ba - by, sleep. The birds have all fold - ed their wings. 2. O

A. *p sub.* *ppp*

A. Sleep, ba - by, sleep. The birds have all fold - ed their wings.

T. *p sub.* *ppp*

T. 8 Sleep, ba-by, sleep (ossia) have fold - ed their wings.

B. *p sub.* *ppp*

B. Sleep, ba-by, sleep have fold - ed their wings.

D

2. *p sub.*

S. 28 Sleep, ba - by, sleep. The birds have all fold - ed their

A. *p sub.*

A. Sleep, ba - by, sleep. The birds have all fold - ed their

T. *p sub.* *div. pp*

T. 8 Sleep, ba-by, sleep (ossia) have fold - ed O

B. *p sub.* *div. pp*

B. Sleep, ba-by, sleep have fold - ed O

32

pp *div.* *mp* *ppp*

S. wings, fold - ed their wings. O

A. wings, fold - ed their wings.

T. 8 *mp* *(pp)* *ppp*
child of mine, O child of mine, O child, O child, of mine, O

B. *mp* *(pp)* *ppp*
child of mine, O child of mine, O child, O child, of mine, O

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S. *p* *unis.*
child of mine, O child of mine, 3. O

A. *pp*
O child of mine,

T. 8 *pp*
child of mine, O child of mine, O child, O child, of mine.

B. *pp*
child of mine, O child of mine, O child, O child, of mine,

E

3.

40

S. *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *p*
 Sleep, ba - by, sleep The wind's in the trees

A. Solo *sempre mp*
 O child of mine for to keep you warm How I wish that I could have

A. *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *p*
 Sleep, ba - by, sleep The wind's in the trees

T. *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *p*
 Sleep, ba-by, sleep (ossia) Wind's in the trees (ossia)

B. *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *p*
 Sleep, ba-by, sleep Wind's in the trees

Poco meno mosso (♩.=26)

44 *pp sub.* *poco rall.* *pp* *poco rall.* *ppp* *n*
 S. *div.* *unis.*
 Sleep, ba - by, sleep. The birds have all fold - ed their wings.

A. Solo *(mp)* *pp* *ppp* *n*
 O child of mine with a cloth of gold The birds have all fold - ed their wings.

A. *pp sub.* *pp* *ppp* *n*
 Sleep, ba - by, sleep. The birds have all fold - ed their wings.

T. *pp sub.* *pp* *ppp* *n*
 Sleep, ba by, sleep. (ossia) have fold - ed wings.

B. *pp sub.* *pp* *ppp* *n*
 Sleep, ba by, sleep. have fold - ed wings. *pppp*