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Lullaby my sweet little baby

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Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la, lul - la - by,

lul - la, lul - la - by, la lul - la, lul - la -

- by, my sweet lit - tle, lit - tle ba -

- by, my sweet lit - tle ba - by, what

mean - est thou to cry, Lul - la,

lul - la - by, lul - la - by, by la

lul - la - by, la lul - la, la lul - la -

- by, la lul - la, lul - la - by, lul - la -

- by my sweet lit - tle ba - by, ba - by.

The Second Part

1. Be still my bles - sed babe, bles - sed

babe, be still my bles - sed babe, though

cause thou hast to mourn, to mourn: whose blood

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most in - no - cent the cru - el king hath sworn,

hath _____ sworn, the cru - el king hath

sworn: And lo, _____ a - las, be - hold what slaugh - ter

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he _____ doth make, he doth make, *he doth make,*

shed - ding the blood of, of in - fants all,

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sweet sa - vi - our, _____ for thy _____ sake, for

thy sake. A king is born, they say, which

king this king _____ would kill, would _____ kill,

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Oh woe, woe, Oh woe, _____ woe, Oh woe, _____

_____ and woe - ful hea - vy _____

day, when wret - ches have their _____ will, have their _____

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_____ will, when wret - ches have their will, when wret -

1. _____ will. 2. _____ will.