

Soprano

II-The Friendly Beasts

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Traditional (1200)

II-Moderato (♩. = circa 55)
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1 Je - sus our bro - ther, kind and good, Was
3 - "I", said the cow all white and red, "I
5 - "I", said the dove from raf - ters high, "Cooed



hum - bly born in a sta - ble rude, And the friend - ly beasts a -
gave him my sleep that he should his not bed, cry, I gave him my to hay sleep to that



round him stood; Je - sus our bro - ther, kind and good. 2 -
pil - low his head". "I", said the cow, all white and red. 4 -
he should not cry, "I", said the dove from the raf - ters high. 6 -



"I", said the don - key, shag - gy and brown, "I car - ried his moth - er
"I", said the sheep with cur - ly ly horn, "I gave him my wool - er
Thus ev' ry beast by cur by some good spell, In the sta - ble dark for was



up - hill and down; I car - ried his moth - er to Beth - le - hem town".
his blan - ket warm, He wore my coat on Christ - mas morn.
glad to tell Of the gift he gave Em - ma - nu - el,



"I", said the don - key, shag - gy and brown.
"I", said the sheep with cur - ly ly horn.
The gift he gave Em - ma - nu - el.