

MAMA WHO BORE ME

from *Spring Awakening*

Music by DUNCAN SHEIK

Lyrics by STEVEN SATER

Slowly
Am F(add2)/C G(add2)/B D(add2)

mp *sempre legato*

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a simple harmonic accompaniment with quarter notes. The tempo is marked 'Slowly' and the dynamics are 'mp' (mezzo-piano) with the instruction 'sempre legato'.

Am F(add2)/C G(add2)/B D(add2)

WENDLA:

Ma - ma, _____ who bore - me, Ma - ma, _____ who gave - me

The first system of the vocal part shows the melody for the first two lines of the song. The piano accompaniment continues from the introduction. The lyrics are: 'Ma - ma, _____ who bore - me, Ma - ma, _____ who gave - me'.

Am F(add2)/C G(add2)/B D(add2)

no way - to han - die things, - who - made me - so - sad.

The second system of the vocal part shows the melody for the second line of the song. The piano accompaniment continues. The lyrics are: 'no way - to han - die things, - who - made me - so - sad.'

Am F(add2)/C G(add2)/B D(add2)

Ma - ma, _____ the weep - ing, Ma - ma, _____ the an - gels.

The third system of the vocal part shows the melody for the third line of the song. The piano accompaniment continues. The lyrics are: 'Ma - ma, _____ the weep - ing, Ma - ma, _____ the an - gels.'

Am F(add2)/C G(add2)/B D(add2) F(add2) C(add2)/E

No sleep in Heav-en or Beth - le - hem . . . Some pray that one day . . . Christ . . .

Dsus D F(add2) G(add2)/B Asus A

... will come a'-call - ing. They light a can - die and hope that it glows . . .

F(add2) C(add2)/E Dsus D

And some just lie there, cry - ing for him to come and find them. But

F(add2) G(add2)/B Asus

when he comes, they don't know how to go. . . .

cresc.

A F(add2)/C G(add2)/B D(add2)

Ma-ma, — who bore me, Ma-ma, — who gave me

A F(add2)/C G(add2)/B D(add2) A F(add2)/C

no way to han - die things, — who — made me — so — bad. Ma-ma, — the weep - ing,

G(add2)/B D(add2) F(add2)

Ma - ma, — the an - gels. No sleep — in Heav - en —

G/B Asus A

or Beth — le - hem. —

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