

SONGS OF CHILDHOOD.

1. IN HER LITTLE BED WE LAID HER



BY C. A. WHITE

2. LITTLE FEET HAVE CROSSED THE RIVER



BY ROSELINDA

3 - OCT 3 0
COPY 1973

3. AMBER LEE.



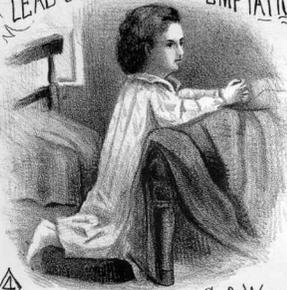
BY C. A. WHITE.

4. DEM GOOD OLE TIMES.



BY H. NEWMAN.

5. LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION



BY C. A. WHITE

6. BEYOND THE VALE



BY C. A. WHITE

BOSTON.
White, Smith & Company,
516 Washington Street,

OTTAWA, ILLS. PROVIDENCE, R.I. CHICAGO. NEW YORK. DETROIT, MICH.
SIMON BROS. N. DARLING & CO. THE ROOT & SONS MUSIC CO. SPEAR & DEHNHOFF. C. J. WHITNEY.
CHAS. H. CROSBY LITH, BOSTON HITCHCOCK, 166 NASSAU ST. ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

IN HER "LITTLE BED" WE LAID HER.

Answer to

"PUT ME IN MY LITTLE BED."

Words by DEXTER SMITH.

Music by C. A. WHITE.

Authors of "Put me in my little bed," "Little Emily," "Kiss me and I'll go to sleep," "Mother, take me home again,"
"Alone in the world," "Beyond the clouds," "Gone before," "Come, Birdie, come,"
"Lead us not into temptation," "Dora Lane," etc. etc.

Andante. With expression.

Piano.



The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand (treble clef) begins with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The left hand (bass clef) plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment of G3, A3, B3, and C4.

5



1. In her "lit - tle bed" we laid her, When the ro - ses lost their bloom,
2. Far too love - ly was our dar - ling, For this cold and bit - ter life,
3. Lit - tle bir - die, sing your sweetest, Dar - ling is an an - gel now.



The piano accompaniment for the vocal lines features a consistent eighth-note pattern in the left hand, with chords in the right hand that correspond to the lyrics.

Entered according to Act of Congress, A. D. 1876, by White, Smith & Perry, in the Office of the Librarian of Congress at Washington.

4

And a val-ley grave we made her, Close be-side her mother's lonely tomb.
 And although we weep to miss her, She is free from mortal worldly strife.
 She is free from pain and sor - - row, With love's star up-on her heavenly brow.

ad lib.

Lit - tle bir-die sang his sad notes, As her spir-it passed a - way,
 And we dream her an - gel mother, Strokes a - gain her darling's head,
 Hap - py child and hap-py moth-er, Re - u - ni - ted ne'er to part,

ad lib.

Ere she sought the home of an-gels, In the land of per-fect day.
 And a - mid an - gel-ic mu - sic, Lays her in her lit - tle bed.
 In the an - gel home above us, Let this cheer our mournful heart.

Scanning Target

Edison Sheet Music

Item no.: 100009885

Title: In her little bed we laid her

Box no. and finding aid no.: 84/5812

Digitization note:

**Contact: Karen Lund, x70156
Lauren Woodis, x73939
Pat Padua, x75904**