

Sleep, baby, sleep,
 Thy father guards the sheep;
 Thy mother shakes the dreamland tree,
 And down come all the dreams on thee;
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GERMAN

Gently

The piano score is written for a single instrument in 6/8 time. It consists of three systems of music. The first system begins with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic and ends with mezzo-forte (*mf*). The second system continues the melody and accompaniment. The third system concludes with a piano (*p*) dynamic and ends with pianissimo (*pp*). Fingerings and articulation marks are indicated throughout the score.