

for Felix and Theodor
A Cradle Song

W. B. Yeats (1865–1939)

JOEL NILSON

Calm yet intense ♩ = 112

SOPRANO

ALTO 1
ALTO 2

TENOR

BASS 1
BASS 2

p

mm

p

mm

p

mm

p

mm

p

mm

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for rehearsal only

9

mp

The an-gels are stoop - ing a - bove your bed;

mp

oo

mp

oo

mp

oo

mp

oo

If possible, voices should be divided equally between the six parts.

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They wea-ry of troop - ing with the whim-per-ing dead.

oo oo

oo oo

25

I shall miss you when you have grown.

I shall miss you when you have grown.

I shall miss you when you have grown.

I shall miss you when you have grown.

33

mf

God in, God in Hea - ven, laugh - ing to see you good;

mf

God in Hea - ven,

God in Hea - ven, laugh - ing to see you good;

mf warm and full

God's laugh-ing in Hea - ven to see you so good;

mf

God in Hea - ven, laugh - ing to see you good;

mf

41

mp

The Sail - ing Se - ven ah are gay with His mood.

mp

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mp

The Sail - ing Se - ven are gay with His mood.

mp

The Sail - ing Se - ven ah are gay with His mood.

mf cresc.

mf cresc.

mf cresc.

mf cresc.