

# Last night I lay asleeping

Christmas traditional

DUET

Last night I lay a sleep - ing, When all my pray'rs were said, A guar-dian an-gel keep - ing His

8 *f* FULL *Con Brio*

warch a-bout my head. I heard his sweet voice car - ol-ling Full soft - ly on mine ear,

15 *f* UNISON *pp* HARMONY *Lightly*

a song for Chris - tian men to sing, For Chris - tian men to hear.

2. Thy body rest in slumber,  
Thy soul be free from sin,  
The angel near thee undefiled  
Breathes holy thoughts within.  
*Full* The Festal Season now is nigh  
That hails a Saviour's birth.  
All glory be to God on High,  
And Peace to men in earth.
3. The Angel and the Heavenly Host  
Were keeping watch of old,  
They saw the herdmen with their flock,  
The sheep within the fold;  
They told them in a joyous song  
The tidings of the Birth.  
All glory, &c.
4. The Father's will must needs be done,  
In patience long and meek;  
He yearns for every wandering soul,  
And sent for them to seek.  
He came not down in Royal estate,  
But lowly at His birth.  
All glory, &c.
5. Then may we all, like Him, be meek,  
And share His wondrous love,  
And strive to win the golden crown,  
That waits for all above.  
Then praise the Lord, our infant King,  
And sing His wondrous birth.  
All glory, &c.