**AWAY IN A MANGER** (w/ hand motions)

**Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,**

(outline pentagon shape of a manger with hands)

**The little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head.**

(Jesus hands into folded hands and resting head)

**The stars in the sky looked down where He lay;**

(one sweeping hand from left to right to signal the sky; hands from together to apart)

**The little Lord Jesus, asleep on the hay**

(Jesus hands into folded hands and resting head)

**The cattle are lowing, the poor Baby wakes,**

(from sleeping position to lifting head when “baby wakes”)

**But little Lord Jesus, no crying He makes.**

(Jesus hands into crying motion with hands by eyes)

**I love Thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the sky**

(Jesus hands into one sweeping hand from left to right to signal the sky)

**And stay by my cradle until morning is nigh.**

(praying hands)

**Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask Thee to stay,**

(Jesus hands into praying hands for the duration of song)

**Close by me forever, and love me, I pray.**

**Bless all the dear children in Thy tender care**

**And fit us for heaven, to live with Thee there.**

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