

# Sweet and low

Alfred Tennyson  
(1809-1892)

Sir Joseph Barnby  
(1838-1896)

**Larghetto** ♩ = 100

**SOPRANO**  
*pp*  
Sweet and low, sweet and low, Wind of the west-ern sea, — Low, low, breathe and blow, *sf*

**ALTO**  
*pp*  
Sweet and low, sweet and low, Wind of the west-ern sea, — Low, low, breathe and blow, *sf*

**TENOR**  
*pp*  
Sweet and low, sweet and low, Wind of the west-ern sea, — Low, low, breathe and blow, *sf*

**BASS**  
*pp*  
Sweet and low, sweet and low, Wind of the west-ern sea, — Low, low, breathe and blow, *sf*

**Piano (for rehearsal only)**  
*pp*  
**Larghetto** ♩ = 100  
*pp* *sf*

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*p* *mf* *pp*  
Wind of the west-ern sea, — O-ver the roll-ing wa-ters go, Come from the dy-ing moon and blow,

*p* *mf* *pp*  
Wind of the west-ern sea, — O-ver the wa-ters go, Come from the moon and blow,

*p* *mf* *pp*  
Wind of the west-ern sea, — O-ver the roll-ing wa-ters go, Come from the dy-ing moon and blow,

*p* *mf* *pp*  
Wind of the west-ern sea, — O-ver the roll-ing wa-ters go, Come from the moon and blow,

*p* *mf* *pp*

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*f* Blow him a - gain to me, — While my lit - tle one, while my pret - ty one sleeps. — *p* *rall. e dim.* *pp*

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*f* *p* *rall. e dim.* *pp*

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*pp* Sleep and rest, sleep and rest, Fa - ther will come to thee soon, — Rest, rest, on mo ther's breast, *sf*

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**Tempo primo**

*pp* *sf*

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*p* *mf* *pp*

Fa-ther will come to thee soon;\_ Fa-ther will come to his babe in the nest, Sil ver sails all out of the west,

*p* *mf* *pp*

Fa-ther will come to thee soon;\_ Fa - ther will come to his babe, Sil - ver sails out of the west,

*p* *mf* *pp*

Fa-ther will come to thee soon;\_ Fa-ther will come to his babe in the nest, Sil - ver sails all out of the west,

*p* *mf* *pp*

Fa-ther will come to the soon;\_ Fa-ther will come to his babe in the nest, Sil - ver sails out of the west,

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*f* *p* *rall. e dim.* *pp*

Un-der the sil - ver moon, Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, my pret - ty one, sleep.

*f* *p* *rall. e dim.* *pp*

Un-der the sil - ver moon, Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, my pret - ty one, sleep.

*f* *p* *rall. e dim.* *pp*

Un-der the sil - ver moon, Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep, my pret - ty one, sleep.

*f* *p* *rall. e dim.* *pp*

Un-der the sil - ver moon, Sleep, my lit - tle one, sleep my pret - ty one, sleep.

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