AWAY IN A MANGER (high)

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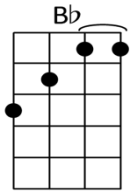

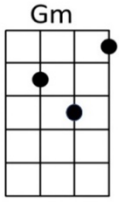

F Bb F
1. A-way in a manger, no crib for His bed,
C7 F
The little Lord Jesus lay down His sweet head.
Bb F
The stars in the bright sky look down where He lay,
C7 F Gm C7 F
The little Lord Jesus a-sleep on the hay.

F Bb F
2. The cattle are lowing, the poor baby wakes,
C7 F
But little Lord Jesus, no crying He makes.
Bb F
I love Thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the sky,
C7 F Gm C7 F
And stay by my cradle ‘til morning is nigh.

F Bb F
3. Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask Thee to stay
C7 F
Close by me for ever and love me, I pray.
Bb F
Bless all the dear children in Thy tender care, and
C7 F Gm C7 F↓ (arp)
Take us to heaven to live with Thee there.

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