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ALLEGRETTO

"Oh! lul-la-by, lul-la-by, Fa-ther dear," Thus

sigh'd a young Moor-ish Maid... While a Captive she lov'd to her bow'r came near, And

whis - per'd this se - re - nade.

"Oh! list to me, Ab - ra! morning breaks, 'Twill soon be too late for our

flight" Hark,hark! Ben He - lim suddenly speaks "whose music is this to night?" "Tis my

lul-la-by lul-la-by Fa - ther dear" The trembling Ab - - ra said . . . "I would

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sing you to rest, but my lute, I feel, Was wrong in the sounds it play'd! Was
 wrong in the sounds it play'd! "Oh! lullaby lullaby Father dear," I was wrong in the sounds I
 play'd."

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The lullaby sooth'd him, again he slept,
 Again was the Serenade sung,
 The Maiden for lover and father wept,
 What could she? so gentle and young!
 One kiss on the old man's slumb'ring eyes,
 That waken'd her heart's best tears,
 One look at Heav'n in the Moorish skies,
 And away from her land for years:
 From her "lullaby, lullaby, Father dear!"
 From all the fond ties of home
 That are nothing or little when they are near,
 But which we regret when we roam.
 Her "lullaby lullaby Father dear!"
 Would oft to her fancy come.

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