

You Were Asleep

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Bm F#m/A

1. You were a - sleep, oh town of Beth - le - hem, your
lights were lost a - mid the fog sur - round - ing. You did - n't see how some - one en - tered
in, and came up to your door with ur - gent knock - ing. You slept so
deep, and you were so con - tent, your bed was warm and you were full and
hap - py. But there, right on your door, Jo - seph had knocked, and
couldn't find a place for ti - red Ma - ry. You slept, and did not hear the won - drous
choir, you did - n't see the an - gels that were sing - ing. You

3 6 9 12 15 18

B Em Em/C# F#
Bm C# F#
Bm F#m/A Am B
Em Em/C# F# Bm
Em/C# F# Am B
Em C#7 F#

Refrain:

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Em Em/C# Bm E F#7

21

did - n't e - ven see the shep - herds run, you did - n't see the wise men that were

Bm Bm F#m/A

24

trav' - ling. 2. You were a - sleep, and all was ve - ry dark, when

Am B Em Em/C#

27

Ma - ry laid her Child in the man - ger. She gazed at Him with tears up - on her

Bm Em/C# F#

30

eyes, for this was Je - sus Christ, the pro - mised Sav - ior. You slept through

Bm F#m/A Am B

33

all that hap - pened on that night, you did - n't see the mir - a - cles and

Em Em/C# Bm C#

36

won - ders. You slept, but may - be still you are a - sleep, ap - proach - ing quick - ly to the fin - al

40 **Refrain:** F# Am B7 Em

hours... A - rise, and wake the town of Beth - le - hem, A -

43 C#7 F# Em Em/C#

wake: come to the man - ger with the shep - herds! A - wake, for God has come so near to

46 Bm E F#7 Bm

you, A - rise, and meet the Sav - ior of all na - tions.