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The Coventry Carol

Robert Croo (1534)

Music: ca. 1590
Arr. by Bruce Merrill

p

Soprano
Alto

Lul - ly lul - la, — thou, lit - tle, lit - tle, tin - y, tin - y

Tenor
Bass

4

subito pp

Child, — By, by, lul - ly, lul - ly, lul - ly, lul - ly, lul - ly, lul - ly

7

mf

lay. lay. O, sis - ters, too, — How

10

may we do — For to pre -

13

serve this day This poor young - ling,

16

poco rit.

For whom we do sing,

19

a tempo

By by, lul - ly lul - lay? lay?

22

tenderly pp

sim.

p

Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la. Lul - la, lul - la. Her - od the

f angrily

25

lul - la. king, Lul - la, In... lul - la, lul - la. In his rag - lul - la, lul - la. ing

In his rag - ing

28

lul - la, lul - la, lul - la. Charg - ed he hath this day His lul - la, lu - la, lul - la. lul - la. His

31

S., A. sotto voce

men of might, In his own Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la. own

with increasing intesity
f sempre

p

In... Lul - la, lul - la,

Bass, sotto voce

34

cresc.

Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la. sight, All young child - ren to la, - Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la. Lul - la, lul - la, lul - la, -

37 *rall.* lul - la, - *fp* lay. slay. *p a tempo* That, woe is *p*

40 me, - Poor child, for Thee! -

43 And ev' - ry morn and day, For

46 Thy part - ing - Neith - er say - nor -

49

sing By by, lul - ly lul lul -

52

p

lay? lay? Lul - ly lul - la, thou,

55

lit - tle, lit - tle, tin - y, tin - y Child,

Slower

57

subito pp

By, by, lul - ly, lul - lay.
lul - ly, lul - lay.