Sweet and Low

Text by Lord Alfred Tennyson (1809-1892) [Br] Set by Stephen Adams (Michael Maybrick) (1844-1913) [Br]; Gustav Holst (1874-1934) [Br], from Songs from the Princess, op. 20a, #1, H. 80, #1; Graham Peel (1878-1937) [Br], Wind of the Western Sea

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Wind of the western sea! Over the rolling waters go, Come from the dying moon, and blow, Blow him again to me; While my little one, while my pretty one, sleeps.

Sleep and rest, sleep and rest, Father will come to thee soon; Rest, rest, on mother's breast, Father will come to thee soon; Father will come to his babe in the best, Silver sails all out of the west, Under the silver moon: Sleep, my little one, sleep, my pretty one, sleep.

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