Mother, tell me the story
That I love to hear
Tell me of heaven
And why I came here
Mother, tell how you love me

And gently speak
And then I'll go to sleep
Child, I am here

Can you feel that heaven is near
Sleep, sleep; a love watch I'll keep
To protect you through the night
Mother, tell me of Jesus

And how he is near
Tell how he loves me
And I will not fear
Mother, tell how his Spirit
Brings comfort and peace
And then I'll go to sleep
Child, he is there

In his love you never need fear
Sleep sleep a love watch he'll keep
To protect you through the night