Mother, Tell Me the Story

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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 lovewatch 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.

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Mother, tell how his Spirit brings comfort and peace,

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And then I’ll go to sleep.
Child, he is there.

In his love you never need fear.
Sleep, sleep; a lovewatch he’ll keep
To protect you through the night.