

# Oh, Sleep, My Dear Little Baby

(*A La Ru*)

Hispanic folk song  
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*D. = c. 48*

1. Oh, sleep my dear little  
1. *Duér - me - te, Ni - ño*  
2. Oh, do not fear the  
a la guitar D A7

ba - by \_\_\_\_\_ in your moth - er's arms \_\_\_\_ of  
lin - do, \_\_\_\_\_ en los bra - zos del a - may  
fu - ture \_\_\_\_\_ and the sor - row it \_\_\_\_ may

D D/C# Bmin

It is intended that keyboard or guitar (but not both) play the accompaniment.

### Spanish Pronunciation

#### Standard American Transliteration

dwehr-meh'-tay nee'-nyoh leen'-doh  
ehn lohs brah'-zohs dehl ah'-mohr  
myehn'-trahs keh dwehr'-meh ee dehs-kahn'-sah  
lah pay'-nah deh mee doh'-lohr  
ah lah roo, ah lah may

#### International Phonetic Alphabet

dwehr-me'-te ni'-ñoo lin'-do  
en los bra'-zos del a'-mohr  
mjen'-tras ke dwehr'-me i des-can'-sa  
la pe'-na de mi do'-lohr  
a la ru, a la me

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love. *mien* bring. I will protect you and  
mor *tras* que *duer - me y* des -  
bring. Rest in the arms of your

D Bmin

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hold you while an - gels sing from a - bove.  
can - sa la pe - na de mi do - lor.  
moth - er and calm - ly sleep while I sing.

D                    A                    A7                    D

**Refrain (Estríbillo) 13**

**Second time only**

I  
A la ru, A la mé,

II  
\* A la ru, — A la mé, — A la

III  
G D

\* These syllables have no meaning.