



COVENTRY CAROL Irregular

Original version, 1591

Lul - ly, lul - la, thou lit - tle ti - ny child, By by, lul -

- ly lul - lay, thou lit - tle ti - ny child, By by, lul -

- ly lul - lay. 1. O sis - ters too, How may we  
2. He - rod the king In his rag -  
3. That woe is me, Poor child, for

do For to pre - serve this day This poor young -  
- ing Charg - ed he hath this day His men of  
thee! And e - ver morn and day, For thy part -

- ling, For whom we do sing, By by, lul - ly lul - lay.  
might, In his own sight, All young child - ren to slay.  
- ing Neither say nor sing By by, lul - ly lul - lay.

\* Tenor F ♭ in original MS.