

# The Seal Lullaby

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**Fl. 1**

Em A Em A/E Bm *mf* F#m Em F#m

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Bm G F#m G A Bm 2

**S.** 16 **A** D *p* *mp* G *k/b & guitar start* Bm D/A G *mp*  
Oh hush thee my ba-by, the night is be-hind us, And black are the wa-ters that spark-led so green. The

**A.** *p* *mp* *p*  
Oh hush thee my ba-by the night is be-hind us, And black wa-ters spark-led so green. The

**T.** *p*  
And black wa-ters spark-led green. The

**B.** *mp* *p*  
And black wa-ters spark-led so green. The

**S.** 25 Em A Em A *p* G Bm Bm/F# F#m  
moon o'er the comb ers looks down ward to find us At rest in the hol-lows that rus tle be-tween.

**A.** *p*  
moon looks to find us at rest in hol lows that rus tle be-tween.

**T.**  
moon looks to find us at restin hol lows that rus - tle be-tween.

**B.** *pp*  
moon looks to find us at rest. Where

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**B** D (harp only) G Bm D/A G

S. - - - - - Ah wea - ry wee flip - per - ling curl at thy ease!

A. - - - - - Ah wea - ry flip-per-ling curl\_\_ at thy ease1\_\_

T. - - - - - The

B. bil-low meets bil-low there soft be thy\_ pi-low; wea-ry flip - per-long curl at thy ease! The

(harp only)

41 Em A Em A Bm F#m

S. - - - - - nor shark o - ver - take thee, A - sleep in the arms\_\_ of the

A. - - - - - nor shark o - ver take thee, a - sleep in the arms of\_\_ the

T. - - - - - storm shall not wake thee, A - sleep in the\_\_ arms of the

B. - - - - - storm shall not wake thee\_\_ A\_\_\_ sleep in the arms of the

47 G F#m Bm G F#m G F#m

S. - - - - - slow-swing - ing seas, a - sleep in the\_\_ arms of the slow-swin - ing

A. - - - - - slow-swing - ing seas, a - sleep in the arms of the slow-swing - ing

T. - - - - - slow - swin - - ing seas, in the arms.

B. - - - - - slow-swing - ing seas, in the arms

V.S.

(harp only)

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**C** Bm F♯m D F♯m Bm F♯m G Em A

S. seas. ooh, ooh, ooh,

A. seas. ooh, ooh, ooh,

T. - p ooh, ooh, ooh,

B. - p ooh, ooh, ooh,

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Em A Bm F♯m G F♯m Bm G F♯m G F♯m

S. ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh,

A. ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh,

T. ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh,

B. ooh, ooh, ooh, ooh,

(harp only)

*Coda*

71 Bm F♯m D p A D pp

S. ooh, ooh,

A. ooh, ooh,

T. ooh, ooh,

B. ooh, ooh,