

**The Cradle Song**

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[Verse]

N.C.  
Sweet babe, a golden cradle holds thee  
N.C.  
Soft a snow-white fleece enfolds thee  
N.C.  
Fairest flower all strewn before thee  
N.C.  
Birds warble o'er thee

**G**                    **D** **G**  
SeoithÃ-n seo lÃ³\_\_  
                         **D**       **G**  
SeoithÃ-n seo lÃ³ la lÃ³

[Verse]

**C**       **G**  
Oh, who is this a-lying here  
                         **C**                    **G**  
Gently at the door of my heart  
   **D** **G**  
To and fro like clouds at night  
   **D** **G**  
I softly rock your cradle

**G**                    **D** **G**  
SeoithÃ-n seo lÃ³\_\_  
                         **D**       **G**  
SeoithÃ-n seo lÃ³ la lÃ³

[Instrumental]

**G**    **C** **G**    **C** **G**  
**G**    **D** **G**    **D** **G**    **D** **G**    **D** **G**

[Verse]

**C**       **G**  
A yellow moon lies in the sky  
                         **C**                    **G**  
Streaming, falling over the earth  
   **D**  
Hush, a leanna, hush, be still  
                         **G**                    **D**       **G**  
The world is silent and sleeping

**G**                    **D** **G**  
SeoithÃ-n seo lÃ³\_\_  
                         **D**       **G**  
SeoithÃ-n seo lÃ³ la lÃ³

[Outro]

G C G C G  
G D G D G D G D G