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for Ruth Walby
I SING OF A MAIDEN

Anonymous 15th Century

William B. Goldberg

Andante

Soprano *f* I sing of a mai - den

Alto *f* a mai - den

Tenor *f* I - sing of a mai - den THAT

Bass *f* I - sing of a mai - den A

Keyboard *f*

that is ma - ke - les King of all

that is ma - ke - les is ma - ke - les King - of - all

mai - den mai - den

mai - den a mai - den

Vc Me.
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Gol

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Handwritten musical score for the first system. It consists of five staves. The top two staves are vocal lines with lyrics: "kings To her son she ches", "kings of all kings", and "He came also stille". The bottom three staves are piano accompaniment. The key signature has two flats (B-flat major). Dynamics include *pp* (pianissimo) and *p* (piano).

Handwritten musical score for the second system. It consists of five staves. The top two staves are vocal lines with lyrics: "stille There", "all so stille He came also stille There his mother", and "al-so stille There his mother was". The bottom three staves are piano accompaniment. The key signature has two flats (B-flat major). Dynamics include *pp* (pianissimo), *p* (piano), and *mf* (mezzo-forte).

his mother was As dew in Aprille

was As dew in Aprille That fall-eth on the grass

As dew in Aprille that fall-eth on the grass

As dew in Aprille that fall-eth on the grass

pp He came also stille To his mothers bow'r As dew in Aprille *f*

pp He came also stille To his mother's bow'r As

to his mother's bow'r

To his mother's bow'r

pp

rille that fall-eth on the flow'r
 dew that fall-eth ² the ³ flow'r
 As dew fall-eth ⁴ on ⁴ the flow'r He
 As dew fall-eth On the flow'r

He came
 He came al-so stille There his ma-ther lay
 came al-so stille
 He came al-so

Al so stille That fall-eth
 As dew in Ap-rille that fall-eth } that falleth on the spray
 He came al-so stille on the spray
 stille As dew on the spray

f Solo
 Mo-ther and mai-den was ne-ver none but
 Mo-ther and 3 mai den
 Mo-ther and 4 mai den
 mo-ther-and-mai-den and mai den
 mo-ther-and-mai den and mai den

she Well may such a lady God-des mo-ther
 Was ne-ver such a lady Goddes mother
 Well may such a lady
 Was ne-ver none but she Well may such a lady God-
 Well may such a
 be Well may such a lady God-des mo-ther be
 be God-des mo-ther be
 des mo-ther Go des mo-ther be
 des mo-ther be
 la-dy God des mo-ther be

mp *pp* *p* *pp* *p* *pp* *p* *pp* *pp* *pp*