

# Bye-lo, Baby, Bye-lo - song lyrics

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BYE-LO, BABY, BYE-LO.

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Hush thee, my baby, the shadows are falling  
O'er forest And lea, to bring rest to thee;  
Now close thy dear, sweet eyes, love, so soft and so blue,  
Like pretty violets, all wet with dew.

Refrain.

Bye-lo, baby, bye-lo, darling, go to sleep;

Bye-lo, baby; bye-lo, baby, go to sleep.

Chorus.

Bye-lo, baby; bye-lo, bye-lo, baby, bye;

Bye-lo, baby; bye-lo, bye-lo, baby, bye.

Song birds, so joyous, have all gone to rest,  
And sunset is fading in the golden West:  
So close thy dear, sweet eyes. love, and dream of angels bright.  
Who guard thee, precious baby, 'till morning's rosy light.-Refrain & Cho.

Slumber, precious darling, and peaceful be thy sleep.  
For mother is near thee, faithful watch to keep;  
And night-birds are calling am) flying so low,  
'Tis time little baby should off to dreamland go.

Refrain.

Bye-lo, baby, bye-lo. mother watch will keep;

Little stars are shining, and baby's fast asleep.- Chorus.