

Maranoa lullaby

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An Australian aboriginal lullaby from Southwest Queensland.

The words are by M. Lyell from 'Singing Together', Spring 1972, BBC Publications

Day now folds its wings, Sleep while mother sings,
Dark the night and deep, Time for you to sleep.

Day now folds its wings,
Sleep while mother sings,
Dark the night and deep,
Time for you to sleep.
Mamma waruno, Murra wathuno,
Mamma waruno, Murra wathuno.

Soft the breezes blow,
Rock you to and fro,
While the stars above
Shine on you with love.
Mamma waruno...

Gently close your eyes,
Now the moon will rise,
With the morning light,
Stars are put to flight.
Mamma waruno...

Day now folds its wings...
Repeat 1st verse

