

Baby seed song



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A poem by Edith Nesbit, music by Carey Bonner; from the book 'Movement and song for the littlest ones' published 1959.



The musical score consists of four staves of music in G major, 4/4 time. The lyrics are integrated into the music, with chords indicated above the notes. The lyrics are:

Lit - tle brown seed, O, lit - tle brown broth - er, Are you a - wake in the dark?
Here we lie co-si - ly close to each oth - er, Hark to the song of the lark!
"Wa - ken!" the lark says, "Wa - ken and dress you, Put on your green coats and gay;
Blue sky will smile on you, sun - shine ca - ress you "Wa - ken!'tis mor - ning 'tis May!

Little brown seed, oh! little brown brother,
Are you awake in the dark?
Here we lie cozily, close to each other:
Hark to the song of the lark -
"Waken!" the lark says, "Waken and dress you,
Put on your green coats and gay;
Blue sky will smile on you, sunshine caress you -
Waken! 'tis morning - 'tis May!"



Little brown seed, oh! little brown brother,
What kind of flower will you be?
I'll be a poppy - all white, like my mother;
Do be a poppy like me.
What! you're a sunflower? How I shall miss you
When you're grown golden and high!
But I shall send all the bees up to kiss you;
Little brown brother, good-bye!

