

MAMMY'S LITTLE SUGAR PLUM



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MUSIC

Moderato

VOICE

PIANO

Shades of night are fall - in'
When the day is dawn - in'

Vamp

Pick - a - nin - ny's call - in' Call - in' for his mam - my soft and
Ear - ly in the morn - in' Pick - a - nin - ny starts right in to

low play Mam-my knows the rea-son White folks have been teas-in'
 White kids won't be near him Noth-in' seems to cheer him

Pick-a-nin-ny's heart is hurt-in so,
 All he does is cry the live-long day,

Lit-tle pick-a-nin-ny starts to cry
 Soon his dear old mam-my leaves a sigh

Mam-my soothes him with this lul-la-by
 And a-gain she sings this lul-la-by

CHORUS

Mam-my's lit-tle Sug-ar Plum Mam-my's lit-tle yum yum

p-f

yum Dry your chalk-y eyes it's time to go to rest

Lay your lit-tle kink-y head on mam-my's breast

Don't-cha mind what white folks say They'll be sor-ry some sweet

day _____ And tho' you may be black just like a crow I

could - 'n't love you more if you were white as snow (So)

Go to sleep my Sug - ar Plum You're mam-my's lit-tle on-ly

one Lord love yer Mam-my's lit-tle Sug - ar Plum. Plum. *D.S.*