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So Long, Farewell

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CHILDREN:

There's a sad sort of clanking from the clock in the hall
and the bells in the steeple too.
And up in the nurs'ry an absurd little bird
Is popping out to say "coo coo."

CHILDREN:

Regretfully they tell us,
But firmly they compel us
To say goodbye to you.

BRIGITTA, GRETl, MARTA:

"coo coo" "coo coo."
"coo coo." "coo coo." "coo
coo."
to you.

CHILDREN:

So long, farewell,
Aufwiedersehn, goodnight,

MARTA:

I hate to go and miss this pretty sight.

CHILDREN:

So long, farewell,
Aufwiedersehn, adieu,

KURT:

adieu, Adieu, to yieu and yieu and yieu.

CHILDREN:

So long, farewell,
Au 'voir,
Aufwiedersehn,

LIESL:

I'd like to stay and taste my first champagne.

CHILDREN:

So long, farewell,
Aufwiedersehn, goodbye,

FRIEDRICH:

I leave and heave a sigh and say goodbye, goodbye.

BRIGITTA:

I'm glad to go, I cannot tell a lie.

LOUISA:

I flit, I float, I fleetly flee, I fly.

GRETl:

The sun has gone to bed and so must I.

ALL CHILDREN:

So long, farewell,
Aufwiedersehn, goodbye,
Goodbye;
Goodbye,
Goodbye,

GUESTS:

Goodbye!