THE SLEEPY CANAL

Song

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Andante

Voice.

PIANO.

sun is a-glow in the west, 'Tis the hour of the lover,
maid in the land has a heart, Per-haps si-lent-ly ach-ing,
Work is over,
Sometimes breaking.

Every creature alive is at rest; As the twilight is creeping, Nature smart And 'tis all of your doing, Your fond sleeping,
wooing; Now the Men must
moon, 
be, 
Sil - ver 
Brave 
and 
white, 
true,

Bids us bask in the glow Of her pure 
Tell me then you are both, I implore

Refrain

light. 
you! 
By the side of the sleep - y ca - nal,

You and I, 'Neath the sky, As the barges go
out on their way, To the stars they are seeming to say,

Show your light to the sleepy canal. As we go,

To and fro. You and I, Alone under the sky,

By the side of the sleepy canal.