

# The Farmer in the Dell

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Musical notation for 'The Farmer in the Dell' in A major, 3/4 time. The melody consists of two staves. The first staff starts with a quarter note followed by eighth notes. The second staff begins at measure 9 with a half note. The lyrics 'The farmer in the dell' are written below the notes. Measure 9 includes a chord change to E7. The melody concludes with a final note on the word 'dell'.

The farmer takes a wife (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .

The wife takes a child (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .

The child takes the cow (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .

The cow takes the pig (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .

The pig takes the dog (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .

The dog takes the cat (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . .

The cat takes the mouse (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .

The mouse takes the cheese (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .

The cheese stands alone (2x)

Heigh-ho, the derry-o . . .