

Slow waltz ♩ = 90

The Boy Who Lived Here

As sung by Sara Cleveland

D A7

1. An emp - ty room with a lone - some look; A

Em A7 D

ra - di - o that's still and an un - read book, And

G D

ev - 'ry - thing's so qui - et as it nev - er was be - fore, For the

Em A7 D

boy who lived here has gone to war.

D A7

2. There's no more clothes scat - tered 'round the floor, And
 3. No more sharp shirt or fan - cy lids; And
 4. His pals don't come now to spend the night, Be -
 5. I pray to God ev - 'ry day and night To
 6. The house seems emp - ty and dead at night; There's
 7. I ask the Lord ev - 'ry day and night To

4. with him in this fight.
 5&7. safe - ly through this fight,

Em A7 D

no one slam - ming my kitch - en door. And
 no more yell - ing and no more kids. And
 cause they are with him in this fight. There's
 guide him safe - ly through this fight, And
 no more yell - ing and no more fight. And
 guide him safe - ly through this fight, And

G D

No one a - round teas - ing me an - y - more, Ref: For the
 no more spilled wa - ter on my bath - room floor,
 no more "Pay me" or "I'll raise you four,"
 bring him back home to me safe once more,
 no - bod - y danc - ing on my par - lor floor,
 bring him back home to me safe once more,

Em A7 D

boy who lived here has gone to war.

*Stems up rhythm for second verse only.