

So Long, Farewell

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

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

So long
Farewell
Aufwiedersehn (auf vee der sain)
Goodnight
I hate to go and miss this pretty sight.

So long
Farewell
Aufwiedersehn
Adieu
Adieu, Adieu to you and you and you.

So long
Farewell
Avoire! Aufwiedersehn
I'd like to stay and taste my first champagne.

So long
Farewell
Aufwiedersehn
Goodnight
I leave and heave a sigh and say goodbye (Goodby very high)

(slowly)
I'm glad to go
I cannot tell a lie
I flit, I float
I fleetly flee, I fly . . .

(really slow!)
The sun has gone to bed and so must I

So long
Farewell
Aufweidersehn
Goodbye

Goodbye
Goodbye (softer)
Goodbye (still softer)

(little pause)

Goodbye (and still softer) Wave Goodbye