

# Cat in the Dark

Poem: Margaret Mahy

for treble voices (up to 3 parts), and piano

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**sneaky** ♩=96

Part 1

Part 2

PIANO

*p* *f* *p* *f* *p*

Verse 1

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Part 1

Moth-er, Moth-er, what was that?

Part 2

*p*

Hush, my dar-ling! On-ly the cat.

Verse 1

PNO.

*f* *p* *f* *p*

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Part 1

*f* *p*

(Fight-y bite-y, ev-er so might-y) Out in the moon-y dark Out in the moon-y dark

Part 2

*f* *p*

(Fight-y bite-y, ev-er so might-y) Out in the moon-y dark Out in the moon-y dark

PNO.

*f* *p* *f*

Verse 2

19

Part 1 *f*  
Moth-er, Moth-er, what was that?

Part 2 *p*  
Hush, my dar-ling!

PNO. *f* *p*

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Part 1 *f*  
(Prow-ly yow-ly, sleep-y creep-y, Fight-y bite-y,

Part 2 *f*  
On-ly the cat. (Fight-y bite-y,

PNO. *f* *p* *f*

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Part 1 *p*  
ev-er so might-y) Out in the moon-y dark Out in the moon-y dark

Part 2 *p*  
ev-er so might-y) Out in the moon-y dark Out in the moon-y dark

PNO. *p* *f* *f*