

Adam lay ybounden

1. A - dam lay y - boun - den, — boun - den in a bond,
2. Ne had the ap - ple ta - ken the ap - ple ta - ken been,

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Four — thou - sand — win - ter — thought he — not too long.
Ne had ne - ver our la - dy a - been Hea — v'ne queen.

9
And all was for an ap - ple, an ap - ple that he took,
Then bles - sed be the time that — ap - ple ta - ken was:

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As — cler - kes find - en writ - ten — in their book.
There - fore we moun sing - en: De - o — gra - ti - as!

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