

So long farewell [\(Listen to midi\)](#)

There's a sad sort of clanging 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 "coocoo", "coocoo", coocoo !

Regretfully they tell us, but firmly they compel us  
to say goodbye to you.

So long, farewell, auf wiedersehn, good night,  
I hate to go and leave this pretty sight.

So long, farewell, auf wiedersehn, adieu,  
adieu, adieu, to yieu and yieu and yieu.

So long, farewell, au'voir, auf wiedersehn,  
I'd like to stay and taste my first champagne.

So long, farewell, auf wiedersehn, goodbye,  
I leave and heave a sigh and say goodbye, good bye!

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

The sun has gone to bed and so must I,  
so long, farewell, auf wiedersehn, goodbye.

Am D G  
Goodbye, goodbye, goodbye ! Goodbye.

(orig. = capo 3rd; mid = capo 5th)

(The Sound of Music)