Old Woman

A lullaby from Simon McDonald from Victoria. There are versions dating back to the earliest published collections of nursery rhymes.
This is quite unique with the lilted chorus. However it seemed too short to me hence my two extra verses.

There once was an old wom - an she was rolled in a blan - ket,

She was nine - ty - nine times _____ as high as the moon,

"Old wo - man, old wo - man, old wo - man," said I, _____

"Where are you go - ing, you're climb - ing so high."

"I'm go - ing to sweep ____ up cob - webs from the sky

And if you just wait I'll be with you by and by."

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Fal da da di did - dle da di did - dle da di di di

Fal da da di did - dle da di di da di di da di

And if you just wait I'll be with you by and by.

There once was an old sailor he was singing a song
He was ninety–nine miles away from the shore
"Old sailor, old sailor, old sailor," said I,
"Where are you going, you're sailing so far."
"I'm going to find some treasures from the sea
And if you just wait I'll be with you by and by."

There once was an old swagman he was walking outback
He was ninety–nine miles on the wallaby track
"Old swagman, old swagman, old swagman," said I,
"Where are you going, you're walking so far."
"I'm looking for work and a place for a feed
And if you just wait I'll be with you by and by."