

What Child Is This?

Allegro (♩ = c. 120)

Tune: traditional; Words: William C. Dix, 1865

Lead

Bass

Em D C

What child is this — who laid to rest — on Mar - y's
 Why lies he in — such mean es - tate, — where ox - and
 So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh — all tounge and

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B

6 B7 Em

lap — is sleep — ing? Whom an - gels greet — with
 ass — are feed - - ing? Good Christ - ian, fear; — for
 peo - ples own — him; The King of Kings — sal -

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11 D C B7 Em

an - thems sweet — while shep - herds watch — are keep - ing.
 sin - ners here — the sil - ent word — is plead - ing.
 va - tion brings, — let lov - ing hearts — en - throne him.

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17 G D C

This, this — is Christ the king, — whom shep - herds
 This, this — is Christ the king, — whom shep - herds
 Raise, raise — the song on high, — while Mar - y

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guard _____ and _____ an - gels sing;
 guard _____ and _____ an - gels sing;
 sings _____ a _____ lul - la - by, Haste, haste _____ to
 Joy, joy, _____ for

B

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D C B7 Em

L

bring him laud, _____ the babe, _____ the son _____ of Mar - y.
 bring him laud, _____ the babe, _____ the son _____ of Mar - y.
 Christ is born, _____ the babe, _____ the son _____ of Mar - y.

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