What Child is This?
Duet or Two-part women

Traditional
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1. What Child is this who laid to rest on Mary's lap is

2. Why lies he in such mean estate where ox and ass are

sleeping? Whom angels greet with anthems sweet while shepherds watch are keeping?

feeding? Good Christians fear, for sinners here the silent word is pleading.

Soprano:

mf

This, this is Christ the King, whom shepherds guard and angels sing,

Nails, this spear shall pierce him through, the cross be borne for me, for you,

Alto:

mf

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Haste, haste to bring him laud, The Babe, the Son of Mary.

Hail, hail the Word made flesh, The Babe, the Son of Mary.

Ma-ry.

bring him incense, gold and myrrh, Come peasant, king, to own him, The

So bring him incense, gold and myrrh, Come peasant, king to
King of kings salvation brings, Let loving hearts enthrone him. f Raise, raise the
own him, The King of kings, Let loving hearts enthrone him. f Raise raise the
song on high, The virgin sings her lullaby, Joy, joy, for Christ is born The
song, the song on high, The virgin sings her joy, joy, for Christ is born, The
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