

What Child is This?

Duet or Two-part choir

Traditional

Arranged by Sally DeFord

Gently

2

Women unison:

4

mp

1. What Child is this _____ who laid to rest _____ on
2. Why lies he in _____ such mean es - tate _____ where

mp

6

8

Ma - ry's lap _____ is sleep - ing? Whom an - gels greet _____ with an - thems sweet _____ while
ox and ass _____ are feed - ing? Good Chris - tians fear, _____ for sin - ners here _____ the

10

12

shep - herds watch _____ are keep - ing? *mf* This, this _____ is Christ the King _____ whom
si - lent word _____ is plead - ing. Nails, spear _____ shall pierce him through, _____ the

Men unison:

mf



14 16

shep - herds guard ___ and an - gels sing, Haste, haste ___ to bring him laud, ___ The
 cross be borne ___ for me, for you, Hail, hail ___ the Word made flesh ___ The

18 1. 2. 20

Babe, ___ the Son ___ of Ma - ry. Ma - ry.
 Babe, ___ the Son ___ of

22 24

mp 3. So bring him in - cense,
mp So bring him

26 28

gold and myrrh, — Come pea - sant, king, — to own — him, The King of kings — sal -

in - cense, gold and myrrh, — Come pea - sant, king — to own — him, The

30 32

va - tion brings, Let lov - ing hearts — en - throne him. *f* Raise, raise — the

King — of kings, Let lov - ing hearts en - throne — him. *f* Raise raise — the

34 36

song on high, — The vir - gin sings — her lul - la - by, Joy, joy, — for

song, the song on high, — The vir - gin sings — her lul - la - by — for

38 40

Christ is born — The Babe, — the Son of Ma - ry. *rit.* *mp* The

Christ is born, The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry.

rit.

42

Babe, — the Son — of Ma - ry.

mp The Son of Ma - - ry.