

# What Child Is This?

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1. What Child is this, who, laid to rest, On Ma-ry's lap is  
 2. Why lies he in such mean es-tate Where ox and ass are  
 3. So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh, Come, peas-ant, king, to

1. sleep - ing? Whom an - gels greet with an - thems sweet, While  
 2. feed - ing? Good Chris - tian, fear, for sin - ners here The  
 3. own him; The King of kings sal - va - tion bring, Let

1. shep - herds watch are keep - ing? This, this is  
 2. si - lent Word is plead - ing. Nails, spear, shall  
 3. lov - ing hearts en - throne him. Raise, raise the

1. Christ the King, Whom shep - herds guard and an - gels sing!  
 2. pierce him through, The cross be borne, for me, for you:  
 3. song on high, The Vir - gin sings her lul - la - by:

1. Haste, haste to bring him laud, The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry!  
 2. Hail, hail, the Word made flesh, The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry!  
 3. Joy, joy, for Christ is born, The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry!