

What Child Is This?

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INTRO: Am G F E7 D DUDU
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Am Am G G
What child is this, who, laid to rest,
F F E7 E7

On Mary's lap is sleeping.

Am Am G G
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,
Am E7 Am Am/
While shepherds watch are keeping?

CHORUS:

C C G G
This, this is Christ the King,
Am Am E7 E7
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
C C G G
Haste, haste to bring Him laud,
Am E7 Am Am/
The babe, the son of Mary!

Am Am G G
Why lies He in such mean estate,
F F E7 E7

Where ox and ass are feeding?

Am Am G G
Good Christians fear, for sinners here,
Am E7 Am Am/
The silent word is pleading.

Chorus:

Am Am G G
So bring Him incense, gold, and myrrh;
F F E7 E7

Come, peasant, king, to own Him!

Am Am G G
The King of Kings salvation brings;
Am E7 Am Am/
Let loving hearts enthrone Him!

Chorus:

