

What Child is This?

Duet or Two-part women

Traditional
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♩ = 50

2 Solo or unison:

4

mp 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

6
sleep - ing? Whom an- gels greet with an- thems sweet while shep - herds watch are keep - ing?
feed - ing? Good Chris- tians fear, for sin- ners here the si - lent word is plead - ing.

Soprano:

mf This, this is Christ the King whom shep- herds guard and an- gels sing,
Nails, spear shall pierce him through, the cross be borne for me, for you,

Alto:

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16 18 1.

Haste, haste to bring him laud, The Babe, the Son of Ma- ry.
 Hail, hail to the Word made flesh, The Babe, the Son of

2. 20 22

Ma- ry. *mp* 3. So

24 26

bring him in- cense, gold and myrrh, Come pea- sant, king, to own him, The
mp So bring him in - cense, gold and myrrh -, Come pea - sant, king to

28 30 32

King of kings sal- va- tion brings, Let lov - ing hearts en- throne him. *f* Raise, raise the

own him, 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 Christ is born The

song, the song on high, The vir - gin sings her joy, joy, for Christ is born, The

38 40 42

Babe, the Son of Ma- ry. *rit.* *mp* The Babe, the Son of Ma- ry.

Babe, the Son of Ma- ry. *mp* The Son of Ma- ry.

rit. *molto riten.*