

# What Child Is This?

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What child is this?  
Who meant to rest on Mary's lap is sleeping  
Who angels greet with anthem sweet  
While shepherds watch our keeping This, this is Christ, the King  
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing  
Haste, haste to bring Him laud  
The babe, the Son of Mary So bring him incense, gold and myrrh  
Come peasant King to own him  
The King of kings, salvation brings  
Let loving hearts enthrone Him This, this is Christ, the King  
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing  
Haste, haste to bring Him laud  
The babe, the Son of Mary Nails fierce shall pierce him through  
The cross be borne for me, for you  
Hail, hail, the word made flesh  
Obeyed the Son of Mary This, this is Christ, the King  
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing  
Haste, haste to bring Him laud  
The babe, the Son of Mary Praise Him, Son of joy  
Joy to the risen Lord  
Praise Him, Son of joy  
Joy to the risen Lord This, this is Christ the king  
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing  
Haste, haste to bring Him laud  
The babe, the Son of Mary

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