

What Child Is This

GREENSLEEVES, 87 87 with refrain
 Trad. English melody, 16th cent.
 Bramley and Stainer's Christmas Carols
 New and Old, 1871
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 William C. Dix, 1837-1898

INTRO (♩ = ca. 120)

Dm C/E F C Am Dm A Dm

VERSES

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

Dm F C Am Dm Gm

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 brings, Let

A Dm F C Am

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1 2, 3

1. shep - herds watch _____ are keep - ing?
 2. si - lent Word _____ is plead - ing.
 3. lov - ing hearts _____ en - throne him.

Dm A 1 Dm 2, 3 Dm

REFRAIN

This, this _____ is Christ the King, _____ Whom shep - herds guard _____ and

F C Am Dm Gm

an - gels sing; Haste, haste _____ to bring him laud, _____ the

A Am F C Am

1 2
to Interlude

babe, the son of Ma - ry. Ma - ry.

Dm A 1 Dm 2 Dm
to Interlude

Final rit. Fine

Ma - ry.

Final Dm A Dm Fine

rit.

INTERLUDE

Dm C/E F C Am Dm Gm A

Dm C/E F C Am Dm A Dm D.S.