

# What Child is This? (Greensleeves)

arr. John Sykes

1. What child is this who laid to rest on Mar - y's lap is sleep - ing' Whom  
 2. Why lies He in such mean es - tate, where ox and ass are feed - ing? Good  
 3. So bring Him in - cense, gold and myrrh, come peas - ant king to own Him; The

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ang - els greet with an - thems sweet, while shep - herds watch are keep - ing?  
 Christ - ian fear for sinn - ers here, the sil - ent Word is plead - ing?  
 King of Kings sal - va - tion brings, let lov - ing hearts en throne Him.

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This, this is Christ the king, whom shep - herds guard and ang - els sing;  
 Nails, spear shall pierce him thro', the cross be borne for me, for you:  
 Raise, raise the the song on high, the the Vir - gin sings her lull - a - by:

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Haste, haste to bring him laud, the Babe the Son of Mar - y.  
 Hail, hail the Word made flesh, the Babe the Son of Mar - y.  
 Joy, joy for Christ is born, the Babe the Son of Mar - y.

Verse 1: Trebles & Altos, in unison      Verse 2: Tenors, in unison      Verse 3: Harmony  
 [The bracketed bass notes in bb.10 & 14 suggest that vv.1 & 2 are accompanied.]