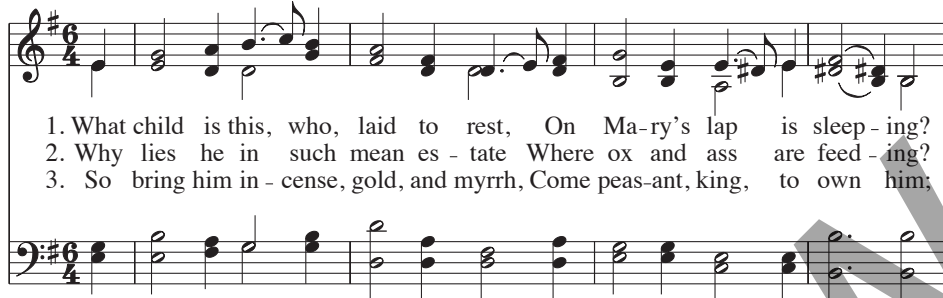
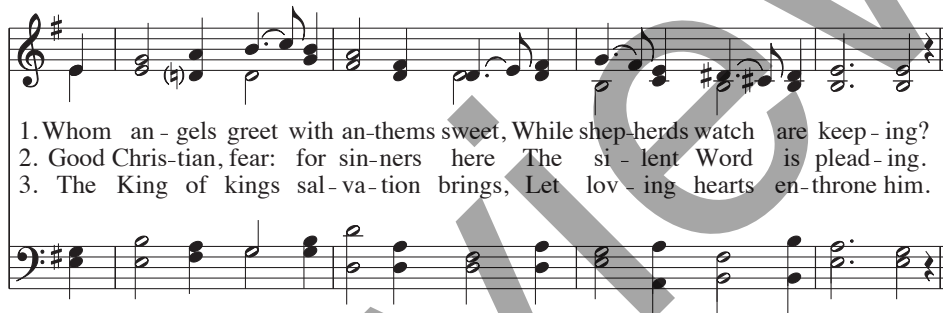


WHAT CHILD IS THIS

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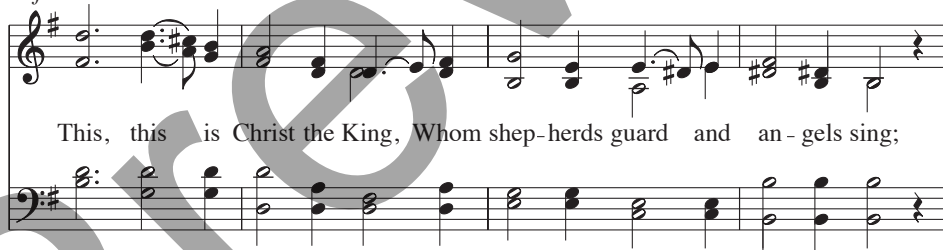


1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On Ma-ry's lap is sleep-ing?
2. Why lies he in such mean es - tate Where ox and ass are feed-ing?
3. So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh, Come peas-ant, king, to own him;



1. Whom an - gels greet with an-thems sweet, While shep-herds watch are keep-ing?
2. Good Chris-tian, fear: for sin-ners here The si - lent Word is plead-ing.
3. The King of kings sal - va - tion brings, Let lov - ing hearts en-throne him.

Refrain



This, this is Christ the King, Whom shep-herds guard and an - gels sing;



Haste, haste to bring him laud, The babe, the son of Ma - ry.

Text: 87 87 with refrain; Bramley and Stainer's *Christmas Carols New and Old*, 1871; William C. Dix, 1837-1898.
Music: GREENSLEEVES; trad. English Melody, 16th cent; Bramley and Stainer's *Christmas Carols New and Old*, 1871;
arr. by John Stainer, 1840-1901.