

Gentle Mary Laid Her Child

SATB *divisi*, *a cappella*

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Tune: TEMPEST ADEST FLORIDUM
Piae Cantiones, 1582

Ranges: Sop. I Sop. II Alto I Alto II Tenor I Tenor II Bass I Bass II



Rubato ♩ = 80-88

mp

Gen - tle Ma - ry — laid her Child low - ly in a

mp

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mp for rehearsal only

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man - ger; there He lay, the un - de - filed, to

man - ger; there He lay, the un - de - filed, to

man - ger; there He lay, the un - de - filed, to

man - ger; there He lay, the un - de - filed, to

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mf

all the world a stran - ger. Such a Babe in

mf

all the world a stran - ger. Such a Babe in

all the world a stran - ger.

all the world a stran - ger.

mf

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such a place, can He be the Sav - ior?

such a place, can He be the Sav - ior?

mp

Oo

mp

Oo

13

Ask the saved of ev - 'ry race who have found

Ask the saved of ev - 'ry race who have

mf

Ask the saved of ev - 'ry race who have found, have

mf

Ask the saved of ev - 'ry race who have

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His fa - vor. And the an - gels

found His fa - vor. And the an - gels

found His fa - vor. Oh,

found His fa - vor. Oh,

rall.

19

f a tempo "Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis

sang. O "Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis

f a tempo sang. O "Glo - ri - a in ex - cel - sis

f a tempo an - gels sang a - bout His birth, wise men sought and

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f a tempo

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De - o!" Heav - en's star shone bright - ly forth,
 De - o!" Heav - en's star shone bright - ly forth,
 found Him; Heav - en's star shone bright - ly forth,
 found Him; Heav - en's star shone bright - ly forth,

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glo - ry all a - round Him.
 glo - ry all a - round Him.
 glo - ry all a - round Him.
 glo - ry all a - round Him.