

What Child Is This

SSA Chorus and Piano* with Optional two B \flat Clarinets**

William C. Dix (1837-1898)

Traditional English Tune (GREENSLEEVES)

Arranged by Ruth Elaine Schram

Ranges: Soprano I Soprano II Alto



① Smoothly $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 112$

4 SI, SII *mp*

What child is this — who, laid to rest, on—

A *mp*

What child is this who, laid to rest, on—

9

Ma - ry's lap — is sleep - ing?

Ma - ry's lap is sleep - ing?

②

Duration: approx. 2:50

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Whom an - gels greet with an - thems sweet, while_

Whom an - gels greet with an - thems sweet, while_

-Cl.

19

shep - herds watch are keep - ing?

shep - herds watch are keep - ing?

+Cl.
mf

3

24

mf

Why lies he in such mean es - tate, where_

mf

Why lies he in such mean es - tate, where_

+Cl.
mf

29

4

ox and lamb are feed - ing?

ox and lamb are feed - ing?

34

Good Chris - tians, fear, — for sin - ners here the —
 Good friends, draw near, — and lend your ear; oh, —

Good Chris - tians, fear, for sin - ners here the —
 Good friends, draw near, and lend your ear; oh, —

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5

si - lent Word — is plead - ing! This, —
 hear — his ten - der plead - ing!

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 hear — his ten - der plead - ing!

44 King, whom shep - herds guard — and
 this — is Christ the King, shep - herds — guard,
 this is Christ the King, shep - herds — guard,

+Cl.

49 an - gels sing:
 an - gels sing: Haste, haste — to bring him
 an - gels sing: Haste, haste to bring him

54 *mf*
 laud, the — babe, — the son — of Ma - ry.
 laud, the — babe, — the son of Ma - ry.
 -Cl. *mf*