What Child Is This? Piano William C. Dix (1865) 1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On Ma-ry's lap sleep ing? is 2. Why lies He in such mean es - tate Where ox and ass feed - ing? are bring Him in - cense, gold, and myrrh, Come, peas-ant, king, 3. So own Him, to Whom an - gels greet with anthems sweet, While shep-herds watch are keep - ing? for sin-ners here plead - ing? si - lent Word Good Christian, fear: The is The King of kings sal - va-tion brings, Let lov - ing hearts en - throne Him. Refrain Christ the King, This, this is Whom shep-herds guard and an - gels sing: The babe, the son of haste to bring Him laud, Haste. Ma - ry.