

Tempo: ♩ = 128

What Child Is This

Count-off: "One - two - three - Four - five"

William C. Dix, 1837-1898

Greensleeves 87.87. with Refrain
16th Century English Melody

1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On Ma-ry's lap is sleep-ing?
2. So bring Him in-cense, gold, and myrrh, Come, peas-ant, King, to own Him;

Whom an-gels greet with an-thems sweet, While shep-herds watch are keep-ing.
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.

* Sopranos: sing this note in First Verse Only