

Piano

754 - What Child Is This

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Traditional English Melody, 16th Century
Arranged by Dennis Allen
Piano arranged by Carl Seal

♩ = 47

INTRO

All unison

1. What
(2. Why)

Dm Dm Dsus F E Dm C A⁷ C# C# A aug C# C# A B^b Gm⁷ A Dsus A Dsus Dm

mp

VERSE 1, 2

Both X - All unison

Child is this, who, laid to rest, On Ma - ry's lap is sleep - ing? Whom
lies He in such mean es - tate, Where ox and ass are feed - ing? Good

Dm C B^b A Dsus A

an - gels greet with an - thems sweet, While shep - herds watch are keep - ing?
 Chris - tian, fear: for sin - ners here The si - lent Word is plead - ing.

Dm C E B \flat D A C \sharp D sus Dm C E

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CHORUS*Both X - Parts*

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

F C B \flat D A C \sharp A B A A \flat G \flat

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Haste, haste to bring Him laud, The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry!

F C B \flat Gm \flat A \flat D sus Dm

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1 - TURNAROUND to Verse 2

All unison

2. Why

1 - TURNAROUND to Verse 2

Dm Dm Dsus Dm C A⁷ A^{aug} A B \flat Gm⁷ A Dsus Dsus Dm

2 - to Verse 3

Solo

3. So

2 - to Verse 3

Dm Dm Dsus Dm C A⁷ A^{aug} A B \flat Gm⁷ A Dsus Dsus Dm

VERSE 3

bring Him in - cense, gold, and myrrh, Come, peas - ant, king to own Him. The

Dm

C

B \flat

A

Dsus
A

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King of kings sal - va - tion brings; Let lov - ing hearts en - throne Him.

Dm C/E B \flat /D A/C \sharp D sus Dm C/E

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CHORUS

Parts

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

F C B \flat /D A/C \sharp A/B A A \flat /G

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REPEAT to Chorus

Haste, haste to bring Him laud, The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry!

F C B \flat Gm \flat A \flat D sus Dm C/E

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ENDING

Solo

Ma - ry! The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry!

ENDING

D sus D m B \flat G m⁷ A⁷ D sus D m

mp

rit.

B \flat G m⁷ A $\frac{D \text{ sus}}{A}$ D sus D m

rit.

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