

# What Child is This

Arrangement by Eliza King

Key: Dm | BPM: 126 | Time: 3/4



## VERSE 1

Dm C  
What child is this who laid to rest

Bb Am

On Mary's lap is sleeping?

Bb C Dm C Am  
Whom an-gels greet with anthems sweet,

Bb A Dm (4 bar turnaround on Dm)  
While shepherd's watch are keeping?

## VERSE 2

Dm C  
So bring Him incense, gold and myrrh

Bb Am A

Come Peasant, King to own Him

Bb C Dm C Am  
The King of Kings sal-vation brings,

Bb A Dm  
Let loving hearts en-throne Him

## CHORUS

F C  
This, this is Christ the King,

Bb A

Whom shepherd's guard and angels sing

F            C  
 Haste, haste to bring Him laud,  
       Bb        A        Dm    (*4 bar turnaround on Dm*)  
 The babe, the Son of Mary

**VERSE 3**

Dm            C  
 So raise, raise a song on high  
       Bb                    Am  
 The Virgin sings her lullaby  
       Bb C Dm        C        Am  
 Oh joy, oh joy for Christ is born,  
       Bb        A        Dm  
 The babe, the Son of Mary

**CHORUS**

F            C  
 This, this is Christ the King,  
       Bb                    A  
 Whom shepherd's guard and angels sing  
 F            C  
 Haste, haste to bring Him laud,  
       Bb        A        (*to instru.1*)  
 The babe, the Son of Mary

**Instrumental 1**

Bbmaj7		Am/C		Bbmaj7		Am/C		
Gm		C		Bbmaj7		Dm	A	

*VERSE 4*

Dm C  
Why lies He in such mean estate,

Bb A  
where ox and ass are feeding?

Bb C Dm C Am  
The end of fear for all who hear,

Bb A Dm  
the silent Word is speaking

*Instrumental 2*

Bbmaj7		C		Bbmaj7		C		
Bbmaj7		C		Bbmaj7		C		

*Alt. CHORUS*

F C  
Nails fierce shall pierce Him through,

Bb A  
The cross He'll bear for me and you

F C  
Hail, hail the word made flesh

Bb A Bb  
The babe, the Son of Mary

*TAGS*

Bb A Bb  
The babe, the Son of Mary

Gm A  
The babe, the Son