

# The Babe, The Son Of Mary

Piano solo with SATB  
(What Child Is This/Green Sleeves)

arr, Joseph Knapicius

What Child Is This  
lyrics were written by  
William Chatterton Dix,

♩ = 94

(♩ = ♪)

Piano

The piano introduction consists of two staves in G major and 6/8 time. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a simple accompaniment of quarter notes.

L.V. *And.*

Pno.

The piano introduction for 'What Child Is This' consists of two staves in G major and 6/8 time. The right hand has a more complex melodic line with some accidentals, and the left hand has a simple accompaniment.

S

The soprano vocal line consists of four measures with a whole rest in each measure, indicating that the lyrics are not written on this page.

A

The alto vocal line consists of four measures with a whole rest in each measure, indicating that the lyrics are not written on this page.

T

The tenor vocal line consists of four measures with a whole rest in each measure, indicating that the lyrics are not written on this page.

B

The bass vocal line consists of four measures with a whole rest in each measure, indicating that the lyrics are not written on this page.

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The piano accompaniment for 'What Child Is This' consists of two staves in G major and 6/8 time. The right hand features a complex melodic line with many triplets, and the left hand has a simple accompaniment of quarter notes.

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13

S Ah, Ah,

A Ah, Ah, Ah,

T Ah, Ah,

B

Pno.

17

S Ah, Ah,

A Ah, Ah,

T Ah, Ah,

B

Pno.

child is this, who laid to rest on Mar - y's lap, is sleep - ing? Whom

\* Led.



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29

S Ah, Ah, Ah,

A Ah, Ah, Ah,

T Haste, haste to bring him laud, the babe, the son of Mar - y!

B Haste, haste to bring him laud, the babe, the son of Mar - y!

Pno.

33

S Ah, Ah,

A Why

T Ah, Ah,

B Ah, Ah,

Pno.

*8va-*  
*Red.*

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37

S

Ah, Ah,

A

lies he in such mean e - state, where ox and ass are feed - ing? Good

T

8

B

Ah, Ah,

37

Pno.

(8<sup>va</sup>)

Ah, Ah,

41

S

Ah, Ah,

A

Christ - ian, fear: for sin - ners here the sil - ent word is plead - ing:

T

8

B

Ah, Ah,

41

Pno.

(8<sup>va</sup>)

45

S Nails, spear, shall pierce him though, the cross be borne, for me, for you:

A Nails, spear, shall pierce him though, the cross be borne, for me, for you:

T

B

Pno.

49

S Hail, hail, the word made flesh, the babe, the son of Mar - y! So

A Hail, hail, the word made flesh, the babe, the son of Mar - y! So

T Ah, Ah, Ah, So

B Ah, Ah, So

Pno.

53

S  
bring him in - cense, gold and myrrh, come peas - ant, king to own him, The

A  
bring him in - cense, gold and myrrh, come peas - ant, king to own him, The

T  
bring him in - cense, gold and myrrh, come peas - ant, king to own him, The

B  
bring him in - cense, gold and myrrh, come peas - ant, king to own him, The

Pno.

57

S  
king of kings, sal - va - tion brings, let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.

A  
king of kings, sal - va - tion brings, let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.

T  
king of kings, sal - va - tion brings, let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.

B  
king of kings, sal - va - tion brings, let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.

Pno.

61

S Raise, raise the song on high, the vir - gin sing her lul - la-by:

A Raise, raise the song on high, the vir - gin sing her lul - la-by:

T Raise, raise the song on high, the vir - gin sing her lul - la-by:

B

Pno. Raise, raise the song on high, the vir - gin 3 sing her lul - la-by:

65

S Joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of

A Joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of

T Joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of

B

Pno. Joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of



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68

S  
A  
T  
B

Mar - y! the babe, the son of Mar - y!

68 *8va*

Pno.

71

Pno.

75 *Red.*

Pno.

Detailed description of the musical score: The score is for a four-part vocal setting with piano accompaniment. It begins at measure 68 with the lyrics 'Mar - y! the babe, the son of Mar - y!'. The vocal parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) are written in treble clefs, while the piano accompaniment is in bass clef. The piano part features a melodic line with triplets and a 'Red.' (Reduction) section starting at measure 75. The score concludes at measure 75 with a final cadence.

Piano

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The first system of the piano part consists of four measures. The right hand (treble clef) plays a melody in G major, starting with a quarter rest, followed by quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5, and eighth notes B4, A4, G4. The left hand (bass clef) plays a simple accompaniment with quarter notes G2, B1, and quarter rests.

L.V. *And.*

Pno.

The second system of the piano part consists of four measures. The right hand continues the melody with eighth notes and quarter notes. The left hand plays a bass line with quarter notes and quarter rests.

Pno.

The third system of the piano part consists of four measures. The right hand features a triplet of eighth notes in the first measure, followed by a continuous eighth-note pattern with triplet markings. The left hand continues with quarter notes and quarter rests.

Pno.

The fourth system of the piano part consists of four measures. The right hand continues the eighth-note triplet pattern. The left hand continues with quarter notes and quarter rests.

Pno.

The fifth system of the piano part consists of four measures. The right hand continues the eighth-note triplet pattern. The left hand continues with quarter notes and quarter rests.

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Pno.

Pno.

\* *And.*

Pno.

Pno.

*And.*

Pno.



Pno.

48

(8va)

3 3 3 3 3

3 3 3

3 3 3 3

Pno.

51

3 3

3 3

3 3

8va

3

Pno.

54

(8va)

3

3

3

Pno.

57

(8va)

3

3

3

Pno.

60

(8va)

3

3

3

Pno.

63 (8va) 3

Pno.

66 (8va) 3 3

Pno.

69 (8va) 3 3

Pno.

71 *Red.*

71

Pno.

75 *Red.*

75