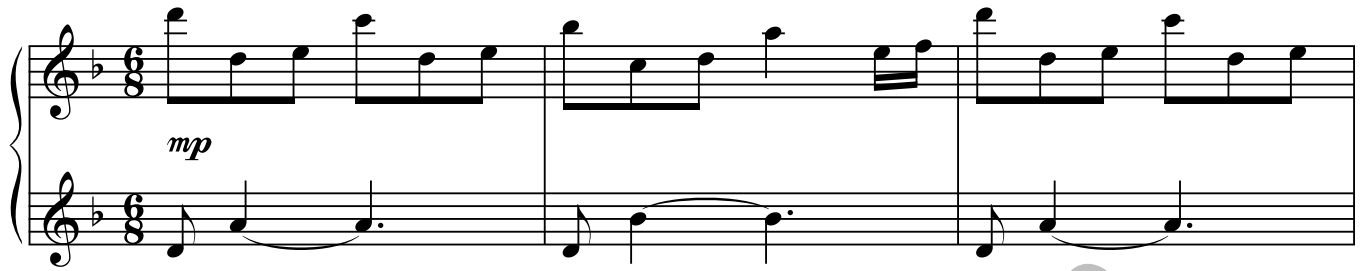


What Child Is This?

SATB mixed chorus with soprano obbligato

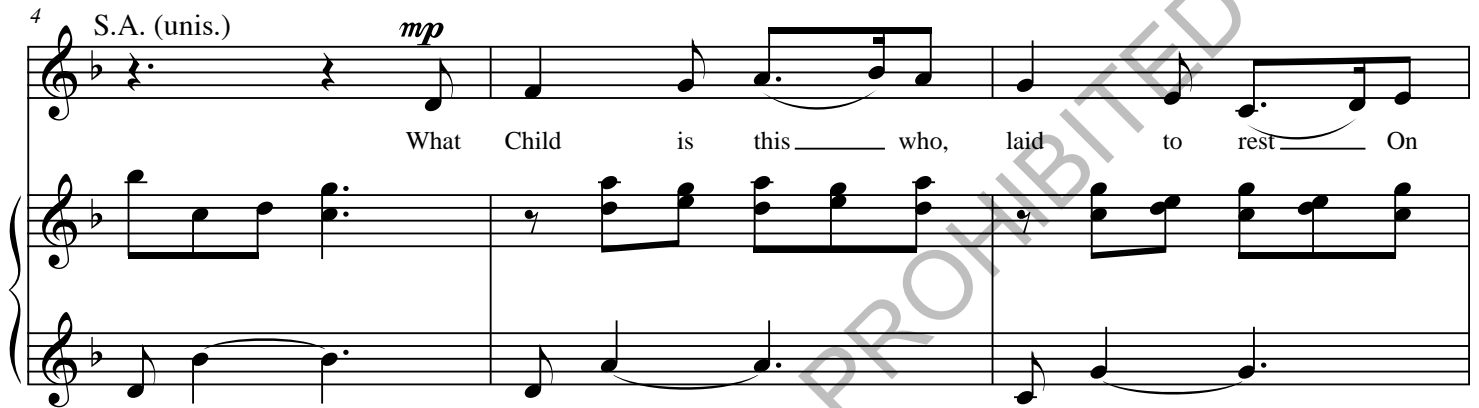
Text: William Chatterton Dix, ca. 1865

Music: 16th c. English Melody ("Greensleeves")
 Arranged by Katherine Knecht



4 S.A. (unis.) *mp*

What Child is this _____ who, laid to rest _____ On




7

Ma - ry's lap _____ is sleep - ing? Whom an - gels greet _____ with



10

an - thems sweet, _____ While shep - herds watch _____ are keep - ing? _____



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T.B. (unis.) *mp*

Why

lies He in such mean es - tate, Where ox and ass are

mp

feed - ing? Good Christ - tians, fear, for sin - ners here The

S. *mf* Nails, spear shall

A.

T. *mf*

B.

si - lent Word is plead - ing.

mf

pierce — Him through, — The cross be borne — for me, for you.

f Hail, hail — the Word made flesh, — The Babe, — the Son — of

Ma ry.

mp

Soprano Obbligato

f

So bring Him in - cense!

S.A. *mf*

So bring Him in - cense, gold and myrrh, Come

T.B. *mf*

f

Come peas - ant, king to own Him. The King of

peas - ant, king to own Him; The King of Kings sal -

div.

ff

lul - la - by. Joy, joy ——— for
sings a lul - la - by. Joy, for Christ is

Christ is born, ——— The Babe, ——— the Son of Ma - ry.
born, He is born, ——— The Babe, the Son of Ma - ry.

p *rit.* *pp*