MARY'S BOY CHILD
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G       C       D       G
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G               C                   D           G
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Long time ago in Bethlehem, so the Holy Bible say,

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 G                  C               G       D⁷      G
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Mary's boy child Jesus Christ, was born on Christmas Day.

Chorus:
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    G           C       D⁷   G    Eᵐ      C       D⁷
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Hark now hear the Angels sing, a new King born to-day,

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        G               C           G       D⁷      G
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And man shall live for ever more, be-cause of Christmas Day.

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        G                       C                   D           G
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While shepherds watched their flocks by night, they saw a bright new shining star

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    G               C               G       D⁷      G
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And then they heard a choir sing, the music seemed to come from afar.

Chorus:
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    G           C       D⁷   G    Eᵐ      C       D⁷
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Hark now hear the Angels sing, a new King born to-day,

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        G               C           G       D⁷      G
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And man shall live for ever more, be-cause of Christmas Day.

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G       C       D       G
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    G               C               D           G
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Now Joseph and his wife, Mary, came to Bethlehem that night

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    G               C               G       D⁷      G
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And found no place to bear her child, not a single room was in sight.

Chorus:

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    G         C       D⁷    G    Eᵐ       C       D⁷
    Hark now hear the Angels sing, a new King born to-day,

        G             C         G     D⁷      G
    And man shall live for ever more, be-cause of Christmas Day.
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G                     C          D         G
By and by they found a little nook, in a stable all-forlorn

   G           C            G    D⁷         G
And in a manger, cold and dark, Mary's little boy child was born
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Chorus:

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    G         C       D⁷    G    Eᵐ       C       D⁷
    Hark now hear the Angels sing, a new King born to-day,

        G             C         G     D⁷      G
    And man shall live for ever more, be-cause of Christmas Day.
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G                   C         D           G
Trumpets sound and angels sing, listen to what they say

    G             C         G     D⁷      G
That man shall live for ever more, be-cause of Christmas Day
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Chorus:

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    G         C       D⁷    G    Eᵐ       C       D⁷
    Hark now hear the Angels sing, a new King born to-day,

        G             C         G     D⁷      G
    And man shall live for ever more, be-cause of Christmas Day.

        G             C         G     D⁷      G
    And man shall live for ever more, be-cause of Christmas Day.
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G    C    G   D⁷   G
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