

CHILD IN THE MANGER

(Leanabh an Àigh - Buessan)

Màiri Dhòmhnaillach (1789–1872)
English translation by Lachlan Macbean (1853 - 1931)

Scottish Traditional
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Largo

S. Child in the mang - er! In-fant of Ma - ry, out-cast and stran - ger, Lord of

A. Child in the mang - er! In-fant of Ma - ry, out-cast and stran - ger, Lord of

T. U _____ (etc.)

B. Dun, dun, dun, dun, dun dun, dun, (etc.)

Detailed description: This is the first system of a musical score for 'Child in the Manger'. It features four staves: Soprano (S.), Alto (A.), Tenor (T.), and Bass (B.). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 9/8. The tempo is marked 'Largo'. The Soprano and Alto parts have identical lyrics: 'Child in the mang - er! In-fant of Ma - ry, out-cast and stran - ger, Lord of'. The Tenor part has a long note followed by '(etc.)'. The Bass part has a rhythmic accompaniment of 'Dun, dun, dun, dun, dun dun, dun, (etc.)'.

4 **A**

S. all! Child who in - her - its all our trans-gres-sions, all our de - mer - its on Him

A. all! Child who in - her - its all our trans-gres-sions, all our de - mer - its on Him

T.

B.

Detailed description: This is the second system of the musical score. It begins with a measure rest of 4 measures, indicated by a '4' above the staff. A box containing the letter 'A' is placed above the Soprano staff. The Soprano and Alto parts have identical lyrics: 'all! Child who in - her - its all our trans-gres-sions, all our de - mer - its on Him'. The Tenor and Bass parts have musical notation but no lyrics are provided for them in this system.

2 8

S. fall! U La la, la la, la la,

A. fall! U La la, la la, la la,

T. 8 Once the most ho - ly Child of Sal

B. Dun, dun, dun, dun, dun,

12

S. (etc.) La

A. (etc.) La

T. 8 va - tion, gent-ly and low - ly liv-ed be - low; now as our

B. (etc.)

15 **B**

S. La La la, la la, (etc.)

A. La La la, la la, (etc.)

T. 8 glo-rious might-y Re-deem-er, see Him vic - to - rious o'er each foe. U

B.

S. Proph-ets fore - told Him In-fant of wond-er; An-gels be

A. Proph-ets fore - told Him In-fant of wond-er; An-gels be

T. Proph-ets fore - told Him In-fant of wond-er; An-gels be

B. Proph-ets fore - told Him In-fant of wond-er; An-gels be

S. hold Him on His throne;- Wor-thy our Sav - iour of all their prais - es, hap-py for-

A. hold Him on His throne;- Wor-thy our Sav - iour of all their prais - es, hap-py for-

T. hold Him on His throne;- Wor-thy our Sav - iour of all their prais - es, hap-py for-

B. hold Him on His throne;- Wor-thy our Sav - iour of all their prais - es, hap-py for-

S. ev - er are His own. La la, la la, la la, (etc.)

A. ev - er are His own. La la, la la, la la, (etc.)

T. ev - er are His own. U

B. ev - er are His own. Dun, dun, dun, (etc.)

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