

Mary's Boychild

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6 1. Long time a-go in Beth-le- hem, so the Ho- ly Bib- le said, Ma- ry's boy child

11 Je- sus Christ was born on Christ mas Day. R.: Hark, now hear the an- gels sing, "A

16 King was born to- day!" And men will live for ev- er more, be- cause of Christ mas

21 Day. 2. Now Jo- seph and his wife Ma- ry, came to Beth- le- hem that night, they

26 found no place to bear her child, not a sing- le room was in- side. R.: Hark, now hear the

31 an- gels sing, "A King was born to- day!" And men will live for ev- er more, be-

35 cause of Christ- mas Day. 3. While shep herds watched their flock by night, they saw a

40 bright new shi ning star, they heard a cho- ir sing a song, the mu sic seemed to come from a-

46 far. R.: Hark, now hear the an gels sing, "A King was born to- day!" And men will live for

51 ev- er more, be- cause of Christ mas Day. Trum pets sound and an- gels sing,

54 list- en to what they say. Yes, men will live for

ev- er - more, be - cause of Christ - mas Day.