

# ONCE IN ROYAL DAVID'S CITY

SATB AND PIANO

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Cecil Frances Alexander  
1823-1895

Duration 3:00

Martha Helen Schmidt  
b. 1956

$\text{♩} = 96$  Gentle, as a lullaby *mp*

S  
A  
T  
B

Once in  
Once in  
Once in  
Once in

Piano

*mp*

Pedal as needed

8

*poco cresc.*

roy - al Da - vid's ci - ty stood a low - ly cat - tle shed,

*poco cresc.*

roy - al Da - vid's ci - ty stood a low - ly cat - tle shed,

*poco cresc.*

8 roy - al Da - vid's ci - ty stood a low - ly cat - tle shed,

*poco cresc.*

roy - al Da - vid's ci - ty stood a low - ly cat - tle shed,

*poco cresc.*

\* High piano tessitura indicates twinkling stars in the night.

15 *mp* *cresc. ----- mf*

where a mo - ther laid her ba - by in a man - ger for His

*mp* *cresc. ----- mf*

where a mo - ther laid her ba - by in a man - ger for His

*mp* *cresc. ----- mf*

8 where a mo - ther laid her ba - by in a man - ger for His

*mp* *cresc. ----- mf*

where a mo - ther laid her ba - by in a man - ger for His

*mp* *mf*

22 *mf*

bed: Ma - ry was that mo - ther mild, Je - suChris her lit - tle

*mf*

bed: Ma - ry was that mo - ther mild, Je - sus Christ her

*mf*

8 bed: Ma - ry was that mo - ther mild, Je - sus Christ her

*mf*

bed: Ma - ry was that mo - ther mild, Je - sus Christ her

*mf*

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Perusal Score Only

43

*mp*

for that child so

love,

*mp*

for that child so

love,

47

*mf*

dear and gen - tle is our Lord in hea - ven a - bove,

*mf*

dear and gen - tle is our Lord in hea - ven a - bove,

*mf*

53

and He leads His chil - dren on to the place where He is gone. *dim.*

8 and He leads His chil - dren on to the place where He is gone. *dim.*

Oo

*cresc.* *f*

60

67 *mf*

Not in that poor low - ly sta - ble, with the ox - en stand - ing

*mf*

Not in that poor low - ly sta - ble, with the ox - en

*mf*

8 Not in that poor low - ly sta - ble, with the ox - en

*mf*

Not in that poor low - ly sta - ble, with the ox - en

*mf*

73

by, we shall see Him; but in hea - ven, set at

*mp* *cresc.* *mf*

stand - ing by, we shall see Him; but in hea - ven, set at

*mp* *cresc.* *mf*

8 stand - ing by, we shall see Him; but in hea - ven, set at

*mp* *cresc.* *mf*

stand - ing by, we shall see Him; but in hea - ven, set at

*mp* *cresc.* *mf*

*mp* *mf*

80

God's right hand on high; when, like stars, His

God's right hand on high; when, like stars, His

8 God's right hand on high; when, like stars, His

God's right hand on high; when, like stars, His

85

chil - dren crowned all in white shall wait a - round,

chil - dren crowned all in white shall wait a - round, shall

8 chil - dren crowned all in white shall wait a - round, shall

chil - dren crowned all in white shall wait

*8va*



90 a - round.

wait a - round.

wait a - round.

a - - - round.

8va

*molto rit.*

*p*