

Long time ago (Mary's boy child)

J Hairston

Long time a - go in Beth - le hem So the Ho - ly Bi - ble

4 say Ma - ry's boy child Je - sus Christ was

7 CHORUS

born on Christ - mas day Hark now hear the
10 Trum - pets sound and

an - gels sing A new King born to - day And man will live for
14 an - gels sing Lis - ten to what they say That man will live for

ev - er more be - cause of Christ - mas
16 ev - er more

day

Now Joseph and his wife Mary
Came to Bethlehem that night
They found no place to lay their heads
Not a single room was in sight

By and by they found a little place
In a stable all forlorn
And in a manger soft and deep
Mary's little boy was born

While shepherds watched their flocks by night
They saw a bright new shining star
Then heard a choir sing
The music seemed to come from afar