

21. Once in royal David's city

1. Once in royal David's city stood a
 2. He came down to earth from heaven who is
 5. And our eyes at last shall see him, through his
 6. Not in that poor low-ly sta-ble, with the

low-ly cat-tle shed, where a mo-ther laid her ba-by in a
 God and Lord of all, and his shel-ter was a sta-ble, and his
 own re-deem-ing love, for that child so dear and gen-tle is our
 ox-en stand-ing by, we shall see him; but in hea-ven, set at

man-ger for his bed: Ma-ry was that mo-ther
 cra-dle was a stall; with the poor and mean and
 Lord in heav'n a-bove; and he leads his chil-dren
 God's right hand on high; when like stars his chil-dren

mild, Je-sus Christ her lit-tle child.
 low-ly lived on earth our Sa-viour ho-ly.
 on to the place where he is gone.
 crowned all in white shall wait a-round.