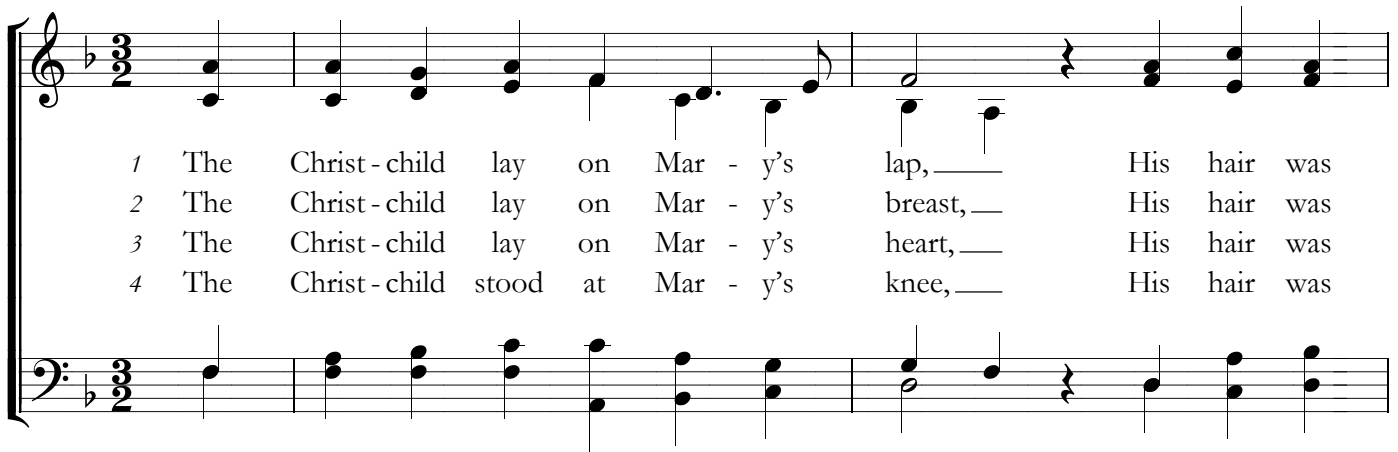


The Christ-Child Lay On Mary's Lap

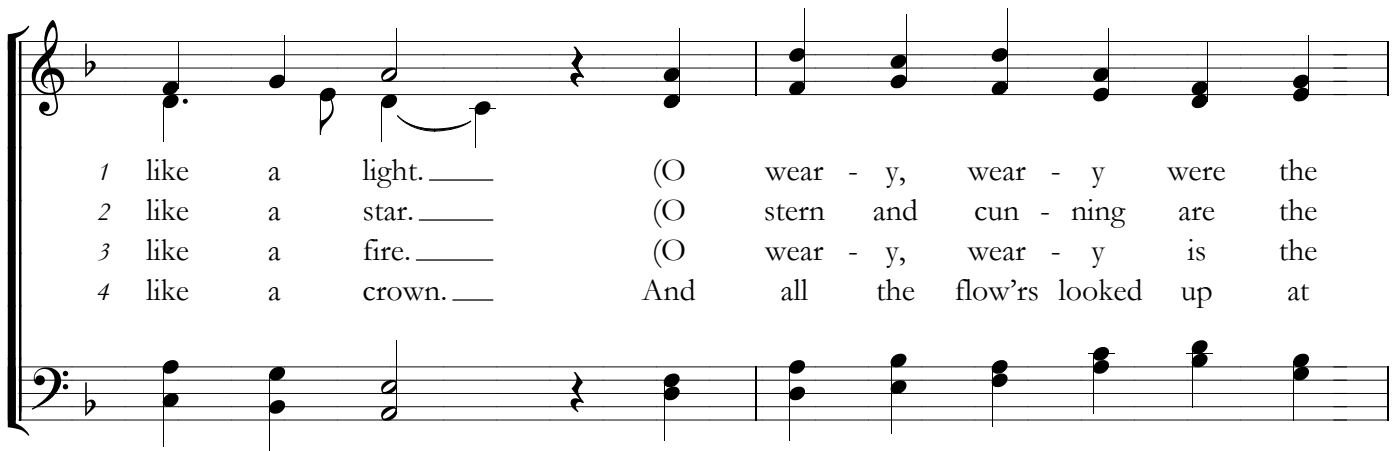
A Christmas Carol

G. K. Chesterton

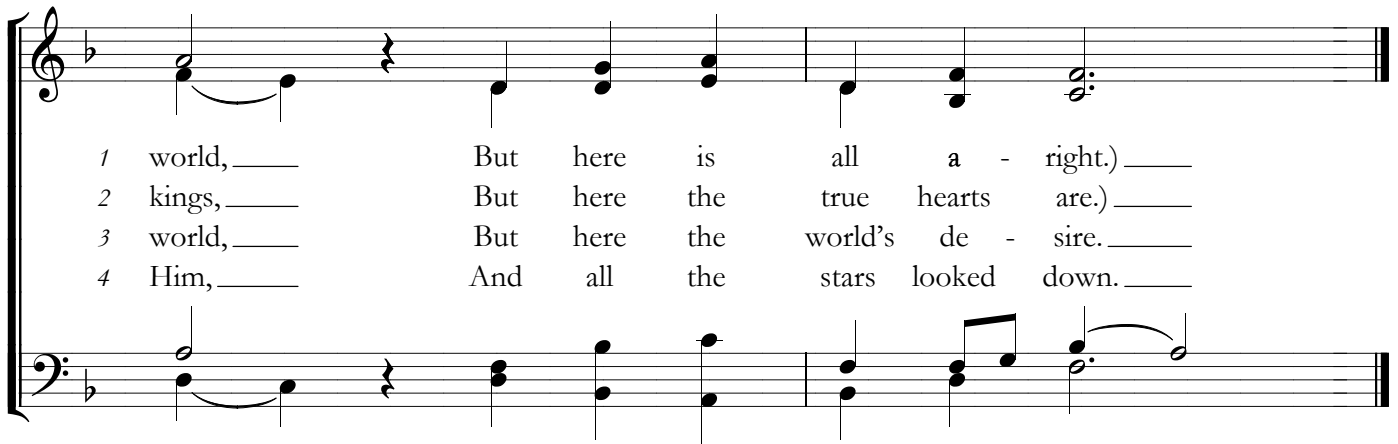
Richard Rice



1 The Christ-child lay on Mar - y's lap, _____ His hair was
 2 The Christ-child lay on Mar - y's breast, _____ His hair was
 3 The Christ-child lay on Mar - y's heart, _____ His hair was
 4 The Christ-child stood at Mar - y's knee, _____ His hair was



1 like a light. _____ (O wear - y, wear - y were the
 2 like a star. _____ (O stern and cun - ning are the
 3 like a fire. _____ (O wear - y, wear - y is the
 4 like a crown. _____ And all the flow'rs looked up at



1 world, _____ But here is all a - right.) _____
 2 kings, _____ But here the true hearts are.) _____
 3 world, _____ But here the world's de - sire. _____
 4 Him, _____ And all the stars looked down. _____