

PARENTS:

Please help your child memorize the following song per their age for the Sunday School Christmas Program on Sunday, Dec. 20 at 10 am. Make plans now for your child to attend practice on Saturday, Dec. 19 at 10 am followed by a pizza lunch. Everyone must be at this important final practice.

AWAY IN A MANGER

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2 year olds - Kindergarten children

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,
The little Lord Jesus laid down His sweet head.
The stars in the sky looked down where He lay,
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes,
But little Lord Jesus, no crying he makes.
I love Thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the sky,
And stay by my cradle till morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus: I ask Thee to stay
Close by me forever and love me, I pray.
Bless all the dear children in Thy tender care,
And take us to heaven to live with Thee there.

O COME, LITTLE CHILDREN

1st - 5th grade children sing each stanza at a different time in the program

Stanza 1: O come, little children, O come one and all,
To Bethlehem haste, to the manger so small,
God's Son for a gift has been sent you this night
To be your Redeemer, your joy and delight.

Stanza 2: He's born in a stable for you and for me,
Draw near by the bright gleaming starlight to see,
In swaddling clothes lying so meek and so mild,
And purer than angels the heavenly Child.

Stanza 3: See Mary and Joseph, with love beaming eyes,
Are gazing upon the rude bed where He lies,
The shepherds are kneeling, with hearts full of love
While angels sing loud hallelujahs above.

Stanza 4: Kneel down and adore Him with shepherds today,
Lift up little hands now and praise Him as they
Rejoice that a Savior from sin you can boast,
And join in the song of the heavenly host.