

Once in Royal David's City 133

There will be no end to the increase of His government or of peace... to establish it and to uphold it with justice and righteousness from then on and forevermore. Isaiah 9:7

1. Once in roy - al Da - vid's cit - y stood a low - ly
 2. He came down to earth from heav - en who is God and
 3. And our eyes at last shall see Him, through His own re -
 4. Not in that poor low - ly sta - ble, with the ox - en

cat - tle shed, where a moth - er laid her ba - by in a
 Lord of all, and His shel - ter was a sta - ble, and His
 deem - ing love; for that Child so dear and gen - tle is our
 stand - ing by, we shall see Him, but in heav - en, set at

man - ger for His bed: Mar - y was that moth - er
 cra - dle was a stall: with the poor, and meek, 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 Sav - ior ho - ly.
 on to the place where He is gone.
 crowned all in white shall wait a - round.