

# Whence, O Shepherd Maiden?

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Unison C#

D#m/C# G#7/C# C#

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1. Whence, O shep - herd maid - en, whence came you?  
 2. What saw you there, maid - en, what saw you?  
 3. Noth - ing more then, maid - en, noth - ing more?

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G#

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I come from the man - ger, walk - ing on my way,  
 I saw ly - ing cra - dled there a ti - ny child,  
 Ma - ry, ho - ly moth - er, nurs - ing babe at breast,

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noth - ing ev - er strang - er seen with - in my day.  
 in the new straw hud - dled, soft - ly it was piled.  
 Jo - seph, ho - ly fa - ther, with the cold op - pressed.

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