

All Around the Child

♩ = 92

E♭

B♭/E♭ E♭

E♭

B♭

A♭M7

B♭sus

E♭sus

E♭

An - cient sto - ry lived a - gain, dark of long - est night.
 New life fra - gile yet com - plete, life from love once more.
 May our won - der ne - ver cease, Na - ture's great - est art.
 Vi - sion for hu - man - i - ty, all a - round the child.

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Cm

B♭

Gm7

Fsus F

B♭7sus

G7

Cm

Birth of in - no - cence and hope kin - dles our de - light. All
 U - ni - ver - sal mir - a - cle, faith in life re - store. The
 Birth and breath of life a - gain warms the cold - est heart. Now
 Lov - ing as one fam - i - ly all a - round the child. Life

Arrangement Permissions



One-time Adaptation



New Arrangement OK



Seek permission to arrange

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B \flat

9 Am7(b5) D7 Gsus Gm Cm9 Fsus F \flat /E \flat F7 Cm G7 Ddim/C Cm9 Fsus F

ce - le - brate the la - bor's end. Forth in laugh - ter, tear and smile.
 har - mo - ny of all the world lulls the new - born child to rest.
 rich and sim - ple gifts be - stowed, Sa - cred prom - is - es well made.
 pas - sag - es well un - der - stood, known and felt a - round the earth;

13 A \flat /B \flat Gm Fm/B \flat Fm C7 Gdim/F Fm A \flat M7 Gm Cm B \flat 7sus B \flat 7 E \flat

Light of love and joy ex - tend all a - round the child.
 Wel - come dream - er, safe - ly sleep on your moth - er's breast.
 Rev - er - ence and hope re - newed all a - round the babe.
 Rich or poor we each are blessed by the mir - a - cle of birth.