

*Puer nobis nascitur*  
**Unto Us a Child is Born**  
Percy Dearmer / PUER NOBIS NASCITUR

1. Un - to us a child is born! King of all cre -  
2. Cra - dled in a stall was he with sleep - y cows and  
3. Her - od then with fear was filled: "A prince", he said, "in  
4. Now may Ma - ry's son, who came so long a - go to  
5. O - me - ga and Al - pha he! Let the or - gan

1. a - tion; came he to a world for - lorn, the Lord of  
2. ass - es; but the ver - y beasts could see that he us  
3. Jew - ry!" All the lit - tle boys he killed at Beth - l'em  
love us, 4. lead us all with hearts a - flame un - to the  
5. thun - der, while the choir with peals of glee shall rend the

1. ev - 'ry na - tion, the Lord of ev - 'ry na - tion.  
2. all sur - pass - es, that he us all sur - pass - es.  
3. in his fu - ry, at Beth - l'em in his fu - ry.  
4. joys a - bove us, un - to the joys a - bove us.  
5. earth a - sun - der, shall rend the earth a - sun - der.

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