

Once in Royal David's City


The Presbyterian Hymnal, 49

Cecil Frances Alexander, 1848; alt.

Henry John Gauntlett, 1849
Harm. Arthur Henry Mann, 1919


GUITAR CAPO 3

D Edim D E7 A7 D A D Em9 Em D A




Once in roy - al Da - vid's cit - y Stood a low - ly cat - tle -
He came down to earth from heav - en Who is God and Lord of -
Je - sus is our child-hood's pat - tern, Day by day like us - He
And our eyes at last shall see Him, Through His own re - deem - ing

4 D Edim D E7 A7 D




shed, all, grew; love,
Where And His was For
a His was that
moth - er shel - ter lit - tle, Child
laid - ter was a weak and dear
her - a - sta - ble, help - less, gen - tle
ba - by In And a
by - ble, Tears His
In And a
Tears Is our

7 A D Em9 Em D A D G D Em A7



man - ger for His bed. Ma - ry was that moth - er
cra - dle was a on stall. With the poor, op - pressed, and
smiles like us He knew; And He feels for all our
Lord in heaven a - bove; And He leads His chil - dren

10 D G D Em9 Em D A D



mild, low - ly, sad - ness, on
Je - sus Lived - sus on
Christ earth shares place
her our in where
lit - tle Sav - ior in all He
child. ho - ly. glad - ness. gone.