

# 52. MARY HAD A BABY

Text: Traditional West Indian

Music: Traditional West Indian arr. Malcolm Archer (b.1952)

S  
A

**Solo** **All** **Solo**

*f* 1. Ma - ry had a ba - by, yes, Lord, Ma - ry had a ba - by,  
*mp* 3. Ma - ry named him Je - sus, yes, Lord, Ma - ry named him Je - sus,  
*mf* 5. Born in a sta - ble, yes, Lord, born in a sta - ble,

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B

**All** **Solo** **All**

yes, my Lord, Ma - ry had a ba - by, yes, Lord!  
 yes, my Lord, Ma - ry named him Je - sus, yes, Lord! The  
 yes, my Lord, born in a sta - ble, yes, Lord!

*f* 2. What did she name him, peo - ple keep a - com - ing, but the train has gone!  
*mp* 4. Where was he born,  
*p* 6. Where did she lay him,

**All** **All**

yes, Lord, what did she name him, yes, my Lord,  
 yes, Lord, where was he born, yes, my Lord,  
 yes, Lord, where did she lay him, yes, my Lord,

1st & 2nd times D.C.

All

what did she name him, yes, Lord?  
where was he born, yes, Lord? Ah.  
where did she lay him, yes, Lord?

Solo

The peo-ple keep a - com-ing but the train has gone!

Solo

All

Solo

7. Laid him in a man - ger, yes, Lord, laid him in a man - ger,

All

Solo

All

yes, my Lord, laid him in a man - ger, yes, Lord! The

rall.

ff

peo - ple keep a - com - ing but the train has gone!

ff