

# When a child is born

Gemischter Chor  
mit Klavier

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The score consists of piano accompaniment and vocal parts. The piano part is in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It features several triplet passages in both hands. The vocal parts enter at measure 13. The lyrics are as follows:

We are li - vin' help - less, we are ho - pin' —  
 We're not say - in' the truth. ac - tin' no —

Li - vin' quite help - less and ho - pin' quite  
 Talk - in not sayin' the truth, ac - tin' no

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hope - - - less, we are fee - lin' heart - less, Lord -  
lo - ve in - cluded, we are hur - tin' our crea - tures, Lord -

hope - - - less, fee - lin' quite heart - less oh Lord -  
love in - cluded, hur - tin' our fel - low creature, Lord -

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— how can you stand this world? But when a child is born, —

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— is born, — when a child is born, — is born, —

child is born, — when a child is born, —

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there's a sign to see that our God goes on to hope on us.

there's a sign that God hope on us.

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1. 2. God

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— goes on to hope on us. God goes on to hope on us.

God hopes on us. God hopes on us.