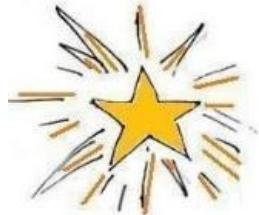


# Calypso carol

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This joyful carol combines elements of spiritual music to share the story of Christmas. Written by British composer and clergyman Michael Perry in the 1960s it has been adapted here for younger listeners. Capo: 4<sup>th</sup> fret.

See him ly - - ing on a bed of straw; — A draugh - ty sta - ble with an o - pen door. —

Ma - ry cra - dl - ing the babe she bore. — The prince of glo - ry is his name.

**CHORUS**

Oh, now car - ry me to Beth - le - hem to see the lord of love a - gain,

Just as poor as was the sta - ble then, — The Prince of glo - ry when he came. —

See him lying on bed of straw,  
A draughty stable with an open door;  
Mary cradling the babe she bore,  
The prince of glory is his name.



*Chorus: Oh now carry me to Bethlehem,  
To see the lord of love again,  
Just as poor as was the stable then,  
The prince of glory when he came.*

Star of silver, sweep across the skies,  
Show where the baby in the manger lies;  
Shepherds swiftly from your sleep arise,  
To see the Saviour of the world!



Angels, sing again the song you sang,  
Bring peace and kindness to the hearts of man,  
Sing that Beth'lem's little baby can,  
Give grace and beauty to the soul.

