

Gifts to the King

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Tune: *Glory Song* by Charles H Gabriel 1900

Wattle in flower
and shimmering haze,
sunshine and scorchers
on long summer days.
Crickets, like bells ringing
shrill through the night
under the Southern Cross,
radiant bright...

Chorus:

*Come let us bring, gifts as we sing.
Gifts to the Babe. Gifts to the King.
He is the reason for Christmas Day.
Jesus the King – the babe in the hay.*

Candles are flickering,
festive good cheer;
Choruses caroling,
Christmas is near.
Bows on bright boxes
tucked under the tree;
presents for you
and presents for me.

<Chorus>

Children in costumes
are dressed up to play,
Mary and Joseph from
long ago days.
Wisemen and angels
and shepherds and sheep,
worship the babe
in the manger, asleep.

<Chorus>

Glory Song
Charles H. Gabriel, 1900 (Public Domain)

Chords: G, C/G, G, G/D, Am, D, G, C/G, G, D/A, A⁷, D, D/F#, A/E, D, A/C#, A⁷, D⁷, G, G/D, G, Am, C/G, D/F#, D, G, G, D/A, G/B, G, C, B, C, G/B, Cm, G/D, D⁷, G