

When A Child Is Born

Intro: [G] [Dm] [C] (end of last line 1st verse)

A ray of [C] hope [G] flickers in the [C] sky, [F]
A tiny [C] star [Am] lights up way up [G] high, [F] [G]
All [F] across the land [G] dawns a brand new [Em] morn ,
[Am] This comes to [G] pass [Dm] when a child is [C] born.

A silent [C] wish [G] sails the seven [C] seas, [F]
The winds of [C] change [Am] whisper in the [G] trees [F] [G]
All the [F] walls of doubt [G] crumble tossed and [Em] torn ,
[Am] This comes to [G] pass [Dm] when a child is [C] born.

A rosy [C] dawn [G] settles all [C] around, [F]
You get the [C] feel [Am] you're on solid [G] ground [F] [G]
For a [F] spell or two [G] no-one seems [Em] forlorn ,
[Am] This comes to [G] pass [Dm] when a child is [C] born.

(spoken words)

And all of this happens because the world is waiting

Waiting for one child

Black, white, yellow, no-one knows

But a child that will grow up and turn tears to laughter

Hate to love, war to peace and everyone to everyone's neighbour

And misery and suffering will be words to be forgotten, forever

It's all a [C] dream, [G] an illusion [C] now, [F]
It must come [C] true [Am] sometime soon [G] somehow. [F] [G]
All [F] across the land [G] dawns a brand new [Em] morn ,
[Am] This comes to [G] pass [Dm] when a child is [C] born [F] [C]

repeat verse 1