

Who Would Have Thought
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VERSE 1 (*Youth solo*)

Who would have thought the Messiah would be
Born in the dark when the world was asleep?
'Twas a silent night, a holy night...

VERSE 2 (*Female solo or all women*)

Who would have thought a poor, humble girl
Would give birth unto the Savior of the world?
'Twas a silent night, a holy night...

VERSE 3 (*Male solo or all men*)

Who would have thought a carpenter man
Would become a part of God's mighty plan?
'Twas a silent night, a holy night...

CHORUS 1 (*CHOIR*)

The lowliest of lowly bore the Holiest of Holy-
Jesus, Emmanuel!
The lowliest of lowly bore the Holiest of Holy-
Jesus, Emmanuel! (*God with us!*) Jesus, Emmanuel!

VERSE 4 (*Choir*)

Who would have thought angels would appear
To lowly shepherds from whom the world would hear,
On this silent night, this holy night,
Came the Light of the World

CHORUS 2 (*Choir*)

Such greatness in most humble form,
A baby, our Savior was born,
The lowliest of lowly, The Holiest of Holy-
Jesus, Emmanuel!
The lowliest of lowly, The Holiest of Holy-
Jesus, Emmanuel! (*God with us!*) Jesus, Emmanuel!

VERSE 5 *(Choir)*

But who would have thought that God With Us
Would bear our dark sin 'neath the weight of the cross?
'Twas a sorrowful night, but a holy night...

VERSE 6 *(Choir)*

And who would have thought that on the third day
Jesus conquered death and rolled the stone away
Hallelujah, Hallelujah! He rose from the grave!

CHORUS 3 *(Choir)*

Such greatness in glorious form!
Praise God! This baby was born!
The lowliest of lowly, the Holiest of Holy
Jesus, Emmanuel!
The lowliest of lowly, the Holiest of Holy
Jesus, Emmanuel! *(God with us)* Jesus, Emmanuel!

VERSE 7 *(Male or Female solo, reflective/humble)*

Who would have thought that I would believe
The Gospel Truth I now receive
On this silent night, this holy night

CHORUS 4 *(Male or Female solo- with expression)*

I'm the lowliest of lowly, *(pause)* but I trust *(pause)* the Holiest of Holy-
Jesus, Emmanuel... You're with me
Jesus, Emmanuel!

TAG *(solo prayerful ad lib)*

I'm on my knees... On this silent night, this holy night
(Choir Joins, softening each time)

This silent night, holy night....
(Soloist still prayerful ad lib)

You were born... so we can be born again
(Choir)

On this silent night, this holy night.... Silent night, holy night....

ENDING *(Youth solo)*

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