

For N.J.M. — My Namesake

**EV'RY CHILD**For Youth (or Adult) and Children's Choir  
Unison with Keyboard

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*mf*

Youth (or Adults)

⑤ (Treble Voices)

*mf*

Ev'- ry child is a gift of love, to the earth from H'vn sent down;

*mp*

Filled with prom-is-es yet un-known, like the babe of Beth-l'hem town.

(8)

13

(Male Voices)

3

Ev' - ry child is a sa - cred trust ev - er worth - y in God's sight;

One small mir - a - cle here a while, like the babe on Christ - mas

All Voices (except children)

21

night. Let us wel - come them now with joy,

As we wel - come the ho - ly boy; Guide them care - ful - ly

4

29

so they know Hope and hap-pi-ness as they grow. Ev' - ry child brings us

*easing . . . . . a tempo*

33

faith a - new in the won-der of it all: God's con-tin - u - ing

37

*mf* Children's Choir in Unison \*

gifts of grace, like the babe in Beth-l'hem's stall. O come, lit - tle

*rall. . . . . a tempo*  
*p*

chil - dren, O come and be - hold The child in the

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\*Words (adapted) by NS  
Tune: Johann A.P. Schulz

man - ger whom pro - phets fore - told. Re - jice, for the

babe who lies slum - ber - ing there Brings light and sal -

va - tion to babes ev' - ry - where.

*poco rall. . . . . mp*

Youth (or Adults)

53 (Treble Voices)

Ev' - ry child is a gift of love, to the earth from H'vn sent

*a tempo*