Bring a Torch, Jeanette Isabella

One of many versions

Men: Bring a torch, Jeanette, Isabella *Excited, medium volume*

Bring a torch, come swiftly and run Christ is born, tell the folk of the village

Jesus is sleeping in His cradle Very soft

All: Ah! ah! beautiful is the Mother, Very soft

Ah! ah! beautiful is the Son.

Women: Quiet now while the Child is sleeping

It is wrong to talk so loud;

Silent, still as we gather around him, Lest a sound should awaken Jesus;

All: Hush! Hush! See how fast He slumbers —

Hush! Hush! See how fast He sleeps.

Men: Hasten now, good folk of the village, Excited, much louder

Hasten now the Christ child to see You will find Him asleep in a manger

Quietly come, and whisper softly Very soft

Very soft

All: Hush! Hush! peacefully now He slumbers —

Hush! Hush! Peacefully now He sleeps.

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