A King is Born

AN UPBEAT CHRISTMAS SONG

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(Acapella Chorus to start)

INTRO (with Bass riff)
E B | A | E B | A

VERSE 1:
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    B              E
He chose a young woman,
    B                 E
to let His will be done
    B           C#m
An angel and a blessing,
  A              B
A Saviour and a Son
        B/D#      E
Though Mary was afraid,
     B              E
by grace she let it be
    B/D#      C#m
Now we can rejoice
        A        B
and now we can believe
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CHORUS 1:
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     C#m       B        A
That a King is born to save us
       C#m     B     A         B
And this King, he is called Emmanuel
  F#m              E/G#
He came to bring a kingdom
        A
To this tired and violent world
     E/B      B7         A
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.
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VERSE 2:
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  B              E
A star in the night,
    B              E
a stable and a door
    B             C#m
A mother cried in pain
       A            B
as her little child was born
  B              E
Born to bring peace,
       | B      B/D#     E    E/G# |
and the promise of new life
B        G#m      C#m
Love restoring hope,
            F#m    B
a living sacrifice
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CHORUS 2:
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     C#m       B        A
For a King is born to save us
       C#m     B     A         B
And this King, he is called Emmanuel
  F#m              E/G#
He came to bring a kingdom
        A
To this tired and violent world
     E/B      B7         A
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.


        E/B    G#7/B#       C#m   B/D#
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.
        F#m    E/G#        A  | A |
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VERSE 3:
 B2/D#          A2/C#
Soldiers and shepherds,
B2/D#          A2/C#
wise men and fools
 B          A          F#m7
All who would glorify or ridicule
 B2/D#       A2/C#
Shall understand
B2/D#      A2/C#
why Jesus came
Am/C        E/B
Shall glorify and praise

    F#m7 E/G#   A
his Ho - ly    Name!
    F#m7 E/G#   A2
his Ho - ly    Name!
    F#m7 E/G#   A | Bsus |
his Ho - ly    Name!


CHORUS 3:
        E       B       A
For a King is born to save us
        C#m  B   A            B
And this King, he is called Emmanuel
   F#m            E/G#
He came to bring a kingdom
        A
To this tired and violent world
B/A       E/B     B7          A
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.
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CODA:
||:      F#m   E/G#  |    A    B |
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.
         A2/C# B/D#  |   E/G#  A  |
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.

         E/B   G#7/B  |    C#m  B2/D#  :||
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.
         F#m   E/G#  |    A       (rit)
Let him reign - Oh let him reign.
 B        E
Let him reign!
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NOTES:

This upbeat Christmas song is an invitation to let our new born King, Emmanuel,
reign in our hearts and in our lives. It also reminds us that one day
everyone - soldiers, shepherds, wise men and fools alike - will bend the knee at the name of Jesus.

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