

# Christmas is Ready

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The ground was laid.

Not with snow,

but years of plans:

Perfect Perspective through imperfect man

*War, empire; rise and fall:*

*A man, a family, a nation, a wall*

The ground is laid.

Not with plough

and the sweat of the brow:

but the will of the One who comes to us now

*War, empire; rise and fall:*

*A woman, an angel, a husband, a stall*

The air is bright.

Not with tinsel  
and fairy light  
but Angel-Praise bursting into the night

*War, empire; rise and fall:  
The baby is born who will trump them all*

The ground is ready.

Not with snow,  
but crisp expectation:  
the One who was born, is waiting ...

*War, empire; rise and fall  
Lead here, to this moment, to your hearth and hall*

Nothing less will do for Him  
This baby, this God, this saviour-King

*The ground is ...*