

Angel Voices In a Dream

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An - gel voi - ces in a dream: "Lis - ten, Jo - seph! Please o - bey!
Jo - seph got up, took the child and his mo - ther in the night.
Ma - gi knew of e - vil plans. An - gels'd told them of the horror:
Her - od sent to Beth - le - hem sol - diers of a kil - ling corps.
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Get up, Jo - seph! Take the child and his mo - ther! Go a - way!
Far from Her - od they all went, safe - ly hid - ing out of sight.
Her - od planned to kill the boy!-- Warn - ings they could not ig - nore!
Mur - dering child - ren un - der two in an aw - ful blood - y gore.
Take your fam - ily! Go back home! Her - od's dead and now you may."

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Down to E - gypt you must flee! Come back when it's safe, some - day!
Down in E - gypt Je - sus stayed 'til God said the time was right.
Kept their se - cret of the child. Her - od would not know much more.
Rach - el's weep ing can be heard for her child - ren are no more.
Back to Is - rael they all went, home to Naz - areth there to stay.