

## What A Wonderful Beginning

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Oh a man named John The Baptist  
Had been hearlding the news  
About the coming of a Savior  
For both the Gentiles and the Jews

And it happened in Judea  
In the town of Bethlehem  
With a bright star o'er the stable  
Was born the Son Of Man

Oh the angels were rejoicing  
As the tiny baby cried  
For the hope of man's salvation  
In a manger had arrived

Meek as a lowly shepherd  
But the mightiest of kings  
He gives peace and life eternal  
To whosoever calls His name

Oh Emmanuel  
The Father's precious Son  
Who forgives our sins and washes clean  
The hearts of everyone

What a wonderful beginning  
To the greatest story ever told  
His birth still rings with promise  
As true as in days of old

So let us sing His praises  
And let us open up our hearts  
And receive His timeless message  
That gives us all a brand new start

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