

A GIFT OF LOVE

Words and music by
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Slowly and tenderly *mp*

1. A gift of love came soft - ly in the night, _____ A tin - y
2. And on that night, while wise men from a - far _____ Be - held a

p *mp*

mf

babe, to bring the world His light. _____ A gift of love in sweet - est, pur - est form, _____ For on that
new and bright - ly shin - ing star, _____ A vir - gin moth - er held her bab - y small, _____ The Son of

mf

dim. *p* *mp*

night, the King of Love was born. _____ High on a hill, while hum - ble shep - herds
God, the Sa - vior of us all. _____ There was no wealth nor earth - ly trea - sure

dim. *p* *mp*

cresc.

gazed, _____ As an - gels sang and glad ho - san - nas raised, _____ The ho - ly
 there; _____ His was a gift of worth be - yond com - pare. _____ For He was

cresc.

mf *mp*

Child slept on in peace - ful rest. _____ And through His birth, all na - tions would be
 born to save a world from sin, _____ To teach us how to love our fel - low

mf *mp*

p 1. | 2. *p*

blest. _____ men. _____ A heav'n - ly

p *p*

pp

babe, _____ a gift of love. _____

pp