

# A Child of the King

*The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God:  
And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ. Rom. 8:16-17*

1. My Fa - ther is rich in hous - es and lands, He hold - eth the wealth of the world in His hands!  
2. My Fa - ther's own Son, the Sav - ior of men, Once wan - dered on earth as the poor - est of them;  
3. I once was an out - cast stran - ger on earth, A sin - ner by choice, and an a - lien by birth,  
4. A tent or a cot - tage, why should I care? They're build - ing a pal - ace for me o - ver there;

Of ru - bies and dia - monds, of sil - ver and gold, His cof - fers are full, He has rich - es un - told.  
But now He is plead - ing our par - don on high, That we may be His, when He comes by and by.  
But I've been a - dopt - ed, my name's writ - ten down, An heir to a man - sion, a robe and a crown.  
Tho' ex - iled from home, yet still may I sing: All glo - ry to God, I'm a child of the King!

## Refrain

I'm a child of the King, A child of the King: With Je - sus my Sav - ior, I'm a child of the King!

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