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The Christmas Symbol

Only a manger, cold and bare,
Only a maiden mild,
Only some sheperds kneeling there,
Watching a little Child;
And get that maiden's arms enfold
The King of Heaven above;
And in the Christ Child we behold
The Lord of Life and Love.

Only an altar high and fair,
Only a white-robed priest,
Only Christ's children kneeling there
Keeping the Christmas feast;
And get beneath the outward sign
The inward Grace is given—
His Presence, who is Lord Divine
And King of earth and heaven.

— Author Unknown