

New Life

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Tempo: 75 BPM

Verse 1

A **E/G#** **D/F#** **A/E**
A whisper; a breath; a flicker in the night.
D **A/C#** **Bm** **C#m** **B7/D#** **E7sus** **E**
A presence; a knowing; a stirring of new life.
A **E/G#** **D/F#** **A/E**
The gentle and creative hand of Loving Father Lord,
D **A/C#** **D** **E7** **A** **D/A**
Conceiving through His mystery, a child yet unborn.

Verse 2

A **E/G#** **D/F#** **A/E**
So precious; so nurtured; a joy beyond compare.
D **A/C#** **Bm** **C#m** **B7/D#** **E7sus** **E**
So tiny and treasured; held in heaven's care.
A **E/G#** **D/F#** **A/E**
This little one sent from above, miraculously formed,
D **A/C#** **D** **E7** **A** **D/A**
Until the time accomplished comes, a child is born.

Chorus

A **E/G#** **D/F#** **D** **D** **A** **A/C#**
This child, created in God's own image.
D **A/C#** **Bm** **C#m** **B7/D#** **E7sus** **E7**
This child, this child so wondrous and bright.
A **E/G#** **D** **A/C#**
Born in the power and promise of God,
D **A/C#** **Bm** **E7** **A** **D/A** **A** **D/A**
Reflecting His goodness, His beauty, and light.

Verse 3

A **E/G#** **D/F#** **A/E**
So, Father, we gather to dedicate this (these) life (lives);

D **A/C#** **Bm** **C#m B7/D# E7sus E**
We'll love him (her/them) and teach him (her/them) of Jesus' sac- ri - fice.

A **E/G#** **D/F#** **A/E**
United now, we make our vow to raise him (her/them) as Your own;

D **A/C#** **D** **A**
D/A
To honor You his (her/their) whole life (lives) through, until safely home.

Repeat Chorus

Tag

E7 **A** **E/G#** **D/F#** **D D A A/C#**
This child, this gift of God's intention,

D **A/C#** **B/D# E7**
So fearfully and wonderfully made,

A **E/G#** **D/F#** **A/E** **D/F#**
Was given life's breath and, from cradle to death,

D **A/C#** **D E7 D/F# E7 D/F# E7/G# A**
Will be held in grace

D E7 D/F# E7 D/F# E7/G# A
By the One who holds all things in place.