

Jesus Once Was a Little Child

Sweetly ♩ = 46-56 (Conduct two beats to a measure.)

1. — Je - sus once was a lit - tle child, A lit - tle child like
2. He played as lit - tle child - ren play The pleas - ant games of

me; _____ And he was pure and meek and mild, As a
youth; _____ But he nev - er got vexed if the game went wrong, And he

lit - tle child should be. _____ So, lit - tle
al - ways spoke the truth. _____

chil - dren, Let's you and I _____

Try to be like him, Try, try, try. _____

Words: James R. Murray, 1841-1905
Music: Joseph Ballantyne, 1868-1944

Luke 2:40