

Christ the Lord is risen today

Text: Charles Wesley, 1739, alt.

Music: anon, Lyra Davidica, 1708

EASTER HYMN 77.77 with alleluias

1 Christ the Lord is ris'n to - day!
2 Love's re - deem-ing work is done,
3 Lives a - gain our glo - rious King,
4 Soar we now where Je - sus led,

All crea - a - tion join to say:
fought the fight, the bat - tle won.
where, O death, is now thy sting?
fol - l'wing our ex - alt - ed Head.

Raise your joys and tri - umphs high:
Death in vain for - bids him rise,
Dy - ing once, he all doth save,
Made like Christ, with Christ we rise,

Sing, O heav'n, and earth re - ply:
Christ has o - pened par - a - dise.
where thy vic - to - ry, O grave?
ours the cross, the grave, the skies.