

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

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1. Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia!
our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
suffer to redeem our loss. Alleluia!
2. Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!
unto Christ, our heav'nly King, Alleluia!
who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!
sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!
3. But the pains which he endured, Alleluia!
our salvation have procured; Alleluia!
now above the sky he's King, Alleluia!
where the angels ever sing. Alleluia!
4. Sing we to our God above, Alleluia!
praise eternal, as his love; Alleluia!
praise him, now his might confess, Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Spirit blest. Alleluia!

Inspiration: st. 1, "Surrexit Christus hodie"; Latin, 14th cent.
Lyrics: 77.77 +; st. 1, "Lyra Davidica", 1708; st. 2-3, "The Compleat Psalmody", 1749; st. 4, Charles Wesley, 1707-1788.