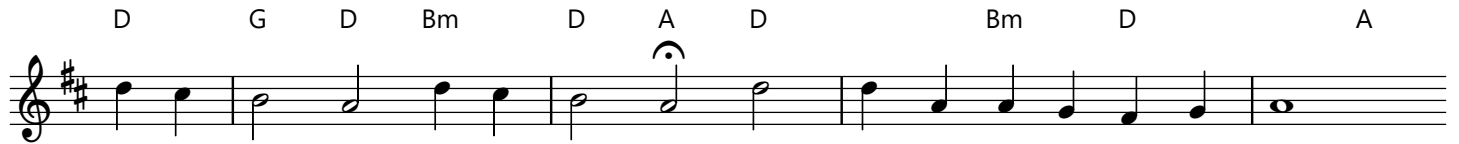


# That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright

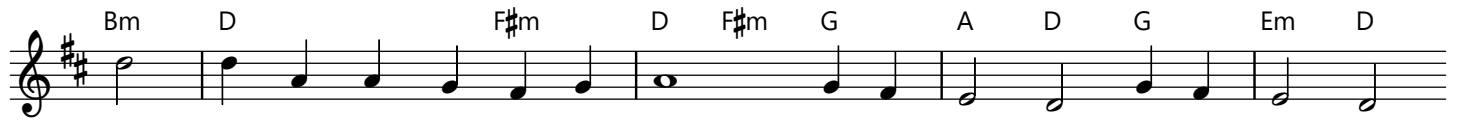
Neale / LASST UNS ERFREUEN



1. That Eas - ter day with joy was bright; the sun shone out with fair - er light,
2. His ris - en flesh with ra - diance glowed, his wound - ed hands and feet he showed;
3. O Je - sus, King of gen - tle - ness, who with your grace our hearts pos - sess;
4. O Lord of all, with us a - bide in this our joy - ful East - er - tide;
5. All praise to you, O ris - en Lord, from death to end - less life re - stored;



1. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! when to their long - ing eyes re - stored,
2. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! those scars their sol - emn wit - ness gave
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! that we may give you all our days
4. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! from ev - ry weap - on death can wield,
5. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! to God the Fa - ther e - qual praise,



1. the glad a - pos - tles saw their Lord. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
2. that Christ was ris - en from the grave. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
3. the will - ing tri - bute of our praise. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
4. your own re - deemed for ev - er shield. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
5. and Spir - it blest, our songs we raise! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!



- 1-5. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Inspiration: "Claro paschali gaudio", part of "Aurora lucis rutilat"; Latin, 5th cent.  
Lyrics: 88.88 +; John M. Neale, 1818-1866, in his "Hymnal Noted", 1851; adapt. in "Hymns Ancient and Modern", 1861.  
Music: LASST UNS ERFREUEN; "Auserlesene Catholische Geistliche Kirchengesänge", Cologne, 1623.