

Christus ist erstanden
Christ the Lord Is Risen Again

Catherine Winkworth / EASTER HYMN

Chorus:

1. Christ the Lord is ris'n a - gain! Al - le - lu - ia! Christ has bro - ken
 2. He who gave for us his life, Al - le - lu - ia! who for us en -
 3. He who bore all pain and loss Al - le - lu - ia! com - fort - less up -
 5. Now he bids us tell a - broad Al - le - lu - ia! how the lost may

Verse:

1. ev - 'ry chain! Al - le - lu - ia! Hark, the an - gels shout for joy,
 2. dured the strife, Al - le - lu - ia! is our Pas - chal Lamb to - day!
 3. on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia! lives in glo - ry now on high,
 5. be re - stored, Al - le - lu - ia! how the pen - i - tent for - giv'n,

Final Chorus:

1. Al - le - lu - ia! sing - ing ev - er - more on high: Al - le - lu - ia!
 2. Al - le - lu - ia! We too sing for joy, and say: Al - le - lu - ia!
 3. Al - le - lu - ia! pleads for us, and hears our cry: Al - le - lu - ia!
 5. Al - le - lu - ia! how we too may en - ter heav'n: Al - le - lu - ia!

Inspiration: "Christus ist erstanden"; Michael Weisse, ca. 1488-1534.
 Lyrics: 77.77 +; Catherine Winkworth, 1827-1878 in her "Chorale Book for England", 1863.
 Music: EASTER HYMN; John Walsh's "Lyra Davidica", 1708; adapt. by John Arnold in "The Compleat Psalmist", 1749.