Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Go quickly and tell his disciples: “He has risen from the dead.” Matt. 28:7

1. Jesus Christ is ris’n today, Alleluia!
2. Hymns of praise then let us sing Alleluia!
3. But the pains which he endured, Alleluia!
4. Sing we to our God above Alleluia!

Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
Unto Christ our heav’nly King, Alleluia!
Our salvation have procured; Alleluia!
Praise eternal as his love; Alleluia!

Who did once upon the cross Alleluia!
Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!
Now above the sky he’s King, Alleluia!
Praise him, all ye heav’nly host, Alleluia!

Suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!
Sinners to redeem and save, Alleluia!
Where the angels ever sing, Alleluia!
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Alleluia!

St. 1, anon.
St. 2–3, Arnold's Compleat Psalmist, 1740
St. 4, Charles Wesley, 1740; alt.
Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God

Praise be to the Lord God, the God of Israel, who alone does marvelous deeds.
Ps. 72:18

1. Now blessed be the Lord our God, the
2. And blessed be his glorious name to
3. His wide dominion shall extend from
4. Yea, all the kings shall bow to him, his

God of Israel, for he alone does
all eternity; the whole earth let his
sea to utmost sea, and unto earth’s re-
rule all nations hail; he will regard the

wondrous works in glory that excel.
glory fill. Amen, so let it be.
most bounds his peaceful rule shall be.
poor man’s cry when other helpers fail.

Psalm 72:3, 11, 12, 19, 10
Scottish Psalter, 1650
Mod.

McKEE, C.M.
Arr. by Harry T. Burleigh, 1929
Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain

I will sing to the Lord, for he is highly exalted. Ex. 15:1

1. Come, ye faithful, raise the strain of triumphant gladness;
   God hath brought his Israel into joy from sadness;
   loosed from Pharaoh's bitter yoke Jacob's sons and daughters;
   led them with unmoistened foot through the Red Sea waters.

2. 'Tis the spring of souls today; Christ hath burst his prison.
   and from three days' sleep in death as a sun hath risen;
   all the winter of our sins, long and dark, is flying.
   from his light, to whom we give laud and praise undying.

3. Now the queen of seasons, bright with the day of splendor.
   with the royal feast of feasts, comes its joy to render.
   comes to glad Jerusalem, who with true affection.
   welcomes in unwearied strains Jesus' resurrection.

4. Neither might the gates of death, nor the tomb's dark portal.
   nor the watch-ers, nor the seal hold thee as a mortal.
   but today amidst thine own thou didst stand, bestowing.
   thine own peace, which evermore passeth human knowing.

John of Damascus, 8th cent.
Tr. by John Mason Neale, 1853; alt.

Tempus Adest Floridum 7.6.7.6.D.
Piae Cantiones, 1582
Arr. by Ernest MacMillan, 1936

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