

Music Planning Sheet - Easter

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JESUS CHRIST IS RISEN TODAY

1. Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day,
2. Hymns of praise then let us sing,
3. But the pains which he en-dured,
4. Sing we to our God a - bove,

Al - le - lu - ia!

1. Our tri - um-phant ho - ly day,
2. Un - to Christ, our heav'n-ly King,
3. Our sal - va - tion have pro-cured;
4. Praise e - ter - nal as his love,

Al - le - lu - ia!

1. Who did once up - on the cross,
2. Who en-dured the cross and grave,
3. Now he reigns a - bove as King,
4. Praise him, all ye heav'n-ly host,

Al - le - lu - ia!

1. Suf - fer to re - deem our loss.
2. Sin - ners to re - deem and save.
3. Where the an - gels ev - er sing.
4. Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

Al - le - lu - ia!

Soprano Descant

These descants may be reproduced for the singers
Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

James Biery

Based on *EASTER HYMN*
from *Lyra Davidica*, London, 1708

Final Stanza
(Descant)

59

Musical score for the final stanza of "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today". The score consists of two staves. The top staff is labeled "(Descant)" and the bottom staff is labeled "(Melody)". Both staves are in common time (indicated by a '4') and treble clef. The music begins with a rest followed by a melodic line. The lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!" are written below the notes. The measure number 59 is at the top left of the first staff.

63

Continuation of the musical score for the final stanza. The top staff continues the melody with the lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!". The measure number 63 is at the top left of the first staff. The bottom staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes.

67

Continuation of the musical score for the final stanza. The top staff continues the melody with the lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia!". The measure number 67 is at the top left of the first staff. The bottom staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes.

71

Final measures of the musical score for the final stanza. The top staff concludes with the lyrics "Al - - - - le - lu - ia!" followed by a fermata and dynamic instruction "molto rall.". The measure number 71 is at the top left of the first staff. The bottom staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes.

PSALM 118: THIS IS THE DAY

Refrain: Rhythmic and joyful (♪ = ca. 160) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Melody (a tempo)



This is the day the Lord has made; let us re-joice and be glad. —

Soprano (a tempo)

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! —

(*a tempo*)

($\textcircled{\text{a}}$) *Fine*



This is the day the Lord has made; let us re-joice and be glad. —

($\textcircled{\text{a}}$) *Fine*

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! —

($\textcircled{\text{b}}$)



Gospel Acclamation: cf. 1 Corinthians 5:7b–8a

Acclamation: (Organ/SATB) No. VIII

Optional Descant

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Capo 3: (Em) Gm (C) Eb (Am7) Cm7 (Bm) Dm (Am) Cm (D) F (Em) Gm

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Verse: (Cantor)

(Am) Cm (Cmaj7/G) Ebmaj7/Bb (F \sharp 7) A \sharp 7 (Am/E) Cm/G (Em/G) Gm/Bb

Christ, our pas - chal lamb, has been sac - ri - ficed;

Organ

(G) Bb (Am) Cm (Em/G) Gm/Bb (Em) Gm (D) F

let us then feast with joy in the Lord.

— let us then feast with joy in the Lord.

Christians, to the Paschal Victim

(*Victimae Paschali Laudes*)

Poetic Sequence for Easter
Victimae paschali laudes

VICTIMAE PASCHALI LAUDES
 Chant, Mode I (alt.); *Graduale Romanum*, 1974
 Adapted and arranged by Ken Canedo

REFRAIN: (♩ = ca. 140) 1st time: Cantor, All repeat; thereafter: All

Em

Em/D

A7/C♯

C

Melody

Chris - tians, to the Pas - chal Vic - tim

Harmony

of - fer your thank - ful prais - es!

Final
A - men. _____ Al - le - lu - ia. _____

VERSES 1, 2

Em

A

Cmaj7

Em

Cmaj7

1. ♫ A Lamb ____ the con - sheep re - deems;
 2. Death and life have tend ed Christ, who that

G

Em

Am7

1. on - ly is sin - less,
 2. com - bat stu - pen - dous:

↑ rec - on -
 The Prince - of

Bm7 Cmaj7 Bm7 Em 1st time: to Verse 2
 2nd time: D.C.

1. ciles _____ sin - ners to the Fa - ther. _____
 2. life, who died, _____ reigns im - mor - tal.

VERSES 3, 4

Bm Em Bm Em Cadd9 Bm7

3. Speak, Ma - ry, de - clar - ing what you saw, way - kin'
 4. Bright an - gels at - test - ing, the shroud and nap - kin'

Em G Cmaj7 Em

3. far - ing. "The tomb of Christ, who is liv - ing, the to
 4. rest - ing. Yes, Christ my hope is a - ris - en.

Am Em Cmaj7 Bm7 Em 1st time: to Verse 4
 2nd time: D.C.

3. glo - ry of Je - sus' res - ur - rec - tion; you."
 4. Gal - i - lee he goes be - fore you."

VERSE 5

G Cmaj7 Em G D Em

5. Christ in - deed from death is ris - en, our new life ob - tain - ing.

G Bm7 Em Cmaj7 Bm7 Em D.C. al fine

5. Have mer - cy, vic - tor King, ev - er reign - ing!

NEW CREATION

Refrain: Slow, steady build ($\text{♩.} = \text{ca. } 58$)

Melody

From death to life: I no long - er live, but

Harmony

Christ now lives in me.

Clothed in righ - teous-ness and crowned with ho - li - ness, we are

new. Al-le - lu ia! { 1. See: the ia!

1, 2
to Verses

Final

Fine

Verses

1. old is dead and gone. Be-hold: new things have come.
2. Je - sus, wash a - way all of sin and death's de - cay.

unis.

NEW CREATION, cont. (2)

1. Fit us for sal - va - tion. _____
2. Make us new cre - a - tions. _____ { Al - le -

1, 2. lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. _____ De -

D.S.

1, 2. light in re - demp - tion's song. _____ From

Text: Jackie François, b. 1983.

Music: Jackie François; arr. by Rick Modlin, b. 1966.

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I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE

Verses

unison

Musical notation for the first verse, unison. The music consists of a single staff in G clef, 4/4 time, and B-flat key signature. It features eighth-note patterns and a dotted half note.

1. I am the Bread of life. You who come to me
2. The bread that I will give is my flesh for the
3. Un - less _____ you _____ eat _____ of the flesh of the
4. I am the Res - ur - rec - tion, _____ I _____
5. Yes, Lord, we be - lieve _____ that _____ you _____

Musical notation for the second verse, unison. The music consists of a single staff in G clef, 4/4 time, and B-flat key signature. It features eighth-note patterns and a dotted half note.

1. shall not hun - ger; and who be - lieve in me shall not
2. life of the world, and if you eat _____ of this
3. Son of Man _____ γ and _____ drink _____ of his
4. am the life. If you be - lieve _____ in _____
5. are the Christ, γ the Son _____ of _____

Musical notation for the third verse, unison. The music consists of a single staff in G clef, 4/4 time, and B-flat key signature. It features eighth-note patterns and a dotted half note.

1. thirst. No one can come to me un -
2. bread, you shall live for ev - er,
3. blood, and drink _____ of his blood, you
4. me, e - ven though you die, _____ in -
5. God, who have _____ come in -

Refrain

Soprano

Musical notation for the soprano part of the refrain. The music consists of a single staff in G clef, 4/4 time, and B-flat key signature. It features eighth-note patterns and a dotted half note.

1. less the Fa - ther beck-ons.
2. you shall live for ev - er.
3. shall not have life with - in you.
4. you shall live for ev - er.
5. to the world.

Alto

And I will raise _____ you

Tenor

Musical notation for the alto, tenor, and bass parts of the refrain. The music consists of three staves in G clef, 4/4 time, and B-flat key signature. It features eighth-note patterns and a dotted half note.

Bass

I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE, cont. (2)



up, _____ and I will raise _____ you up, _____ and I will



raise _____ you up _____ on the last _____ day.



Text: John 6:35, 44, 51, 53–54; 11:25–27; Suzanne Toolan, RSM, b. 1927.

Music: Suzanne Toolan, RSM.

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WORTHY IS THE LAMB

Refrain: Moderate and flowing (♩ = ca. 104)

Descant

mf

Wor-thy is the Lamb that was slain to re -

Melody

mf

Wor-thy is the Lamb that was slain _____ to re - ceive

ceive hon - or and glo - ry. Wor-thy are the

hon - or and glo - ry. Wor-thy are the ones who be -

ones who be - lieve, re - ceive the good-ness of God, the

lieve _____ to re - ceive the good-ness of God. _____

1-3

to Verses

Final

Fine

good - ness of God.

1-3

to Verses

Final

Fine

Verses

1. Wor - thy are you, O Pas - chal Lamb. Wis - dom and
2. Wor - thy are you, O Bread of Life. Sal - va - tion and
3. Wor - thy are you, O Ris - en Christ. Won - ders and

cresc.

1. strength be - long now to you. You laid down your
2. joy be - long now to us. By con - quer - ing
3. signs, re - veal - ing your might. Your pow - er and

dim.

1. life and died up - on the cross: we've be - come a
2. death and ris - ing to new life, we've be - come a
3. glo - ry shine up - on our lives: we've be - come your

2

D.C.

1. peo - ple of hope. _____
2. peo - ple of praise. _____
3. light for the world. _____

Text: Based on Revelation 5:9-14; Ricky Manalo, CSP, b. 1965.

Music: Ricky Manalo, CSP.

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Verses (♩ = ca. 60)

1. Peo-ple of God, see the morn-ing is new; γ rise from your
 2. Peo-ple of God, let your fear fall a - way. Your chains have been
 3. Peo-ple of God now re - joic - ing in Christ, γ car - ry your

1. sleep-ing and run to the tomb. Come and see! Come and
 2. bro-ken; a - ban - don your shame. Lift your hearts! Lift your
 3. joy to the dark-ness of night. Tell the world! Tell the

1. see! He is a - live! ____ A grave that is emp - ty, a
 2. hearts! He is a - live! ____ γ Here now is mer - cy em -
 3. world! He is a - live! ____ γ Hear the good news of this

1. prom-ise ful-filled. God who was with us is here with us
 2. brac-ing your soul; here the ful - fill-ment that once was fore -
 3. glo - ri - ous day, ev - ery heart sing - ing as heav - en pro -

1. still. He is here! He is here! He is a - live! ____
 2. told. It is true! It is true! He is a - live! ____
 3. claims: He is Lord! He is Lord! He is a - live! ____

Refrain

Melody

Musical notation for the Melody part of the Refrain. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: Al - le - lu - ia! Love is a-live; con-quered the grave.

Al - le - lu - ia! Love is a-live; con-quered the grave.

Harmony

(Alto and/or Tenor)

Musical notation for the Harmony part of the Refrain. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: — and de-feat - ed the night. Al - le - lu - ia!

— and de-feat - ed the night. Al - le - lu - ia!

Musical notation for the Melody part of the Refrain. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: Love is a-live! The Son has a - ris-en for all. Your

Love is a-live! The Son has a - ris-en for all. Your

Musical notation for the Melody part of the Refrain. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: peo-ple sing al - le - lu - ia!

peo-people sing al - le - lu - ia!

3

Musical notation for the Melody part of the Refrain. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: peo-people sing al - le - lu - ia!

3

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

Musical notation for the first stanza in G major, 4/4 time. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. A fermata is placed over the eighth note in the third measure.

1. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Hearts to heav'n and voic - es raise;
2. Now the i - ron bars are bro - ken, Christ from death to life is born,
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry be to God on high;

Musical notation for the second stanza in G major, 4/4 time. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. A fermata is placed over the eighth note in the third measure.

1. Sing to God a hymn of glad-ness, Sing to God a hymn of praise.
2. Glo - rious life, and life im - mor - tal, On this res - ur - rec - tion morn;
3. Al - le - lu - ia to the Sav - ior, Who has won the vic - to - ry;

Musical notation for the third stanza in G major, 4/4 time. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. A fermata is placed over the eighth note in the third measure.

1. He who on the cross as Sav - ior For the world's sal - va - tion bled,
2. Christ has tri - umphed, and we con - quer By his might - y en - ter - prise,
3. Al - le - lu - ia to the Spir - it, Font of love and sanc - ti - ty;

Musical notation for the fourth stanza in G major, 4/4 time. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. A fermata is placed over the eighth note in the third measure.

1. Je - sus Christ, the King of Glo - ry, Now is ris - en from the dead.
2. We with him to life e - ter - nal By his res - ur - rec - tion rise.
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! To the Tri - ume Maj - es - ty.

Musical notation for the fifth stanza in G major, 4/4 time. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes. A fermata is placed over the eighth note in the third measure.

These descants may be reproduced for the singers

Soprano Descant

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee *Sing with All the Saints in Glory*

James Biery

Based on *HYMN TO JOY*

by Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770-1827, adapt.

Final Stanza

Maestoso

***(Descant)**



*Sing "Ah" or any comfortable syllable designated by the director.



(Melody)

