

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Frederick Charles Make (1844 - 1927)

SEMI-CHORUS

Unison *ff* *Harmony*

1. Christ is ris - en! Al - le - lu - ia! Ris - en our vic - to - rious Head!

5 *Unison* *Harmony*

Sing His prais - es, Al - le - lu - ia! Christ is ris - en from the dead!

9 *mf*

Grate - ful - ly our hearts a - dore Him, As His light once more ap - pears,

13 *ritard.*

Bow - ing down in joy be - fore Him, Ris - ing up from grief and tears.

17 FULL-CHORUS
a tempo *Unison* *Harmony*

ff Christ is ris - en! Al - le - lu - ia! Ris - en our vic - to - rious Head!

21 *Unison* *Harmony*

Sing His prais - es, Al - le - lu - ia! Christ is ris - en from the dead!

2. Christ is risen! all the sadness
 Of our Lenten fast is o'er;
 Through the open gates of gladness
 He returns to life once more;
 Death and hell before Him bending,
 He doth rise, the Victor now,
 Angels on His steps attending
 Glory round His wounded brow:
 CHORUS—Christ is risen! &c.

3. Christ is risen! all the sorrow
 That last evening round Him lay,
 Now hath found a glorious morrow
 In the rising of to-day;
 And the grave its first fruits giveth,
 Springing up from holy ground,
 He was dead, but now He liveth,
 He was lost, but He is found:
 CHORUS—Christ is risen! &c.

4. Christ is risen! henceforth never
 Death or hell shall us enthrall,
 Be we Christ's, in Him for ever
 We have triumphed over all:
 All the doubting and dejection
 Of our trembling hearts have ceased,
 'Tis His day of Resurrection!
 Let us rise and keep the Feast;
 CHORUS—Christ is risen! &c.