

Christ Our God and Lord Is Risen

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1. Christ our God and Lord is ris - en From the sealed and guard-ed pri - son;
2. Je - sus springs from death and scorn-ing, On this glad - some East - er morn-ing.
3. Ris'en is He with power to save us, From the sins that still en - slave us;
4. Ho - ly Christ, ac - cept the prais - es Which each fee - ble voice up - rais - es;

Tell it out, ye Chris-tian peo - ple! Ring the chimes from tower and stee - ple.
Child - ren, sing that glo - rious ris - ing, Earth and Heav'n with joy sur - pris - ing:
Ris'n in ma - jes - ty to lead us, To the home in Heav'n de - creed us;
And when life shall here have end - ing, May our souls to Thee as - cend - ing,

Hark the feast - er greets the feast - er; Christ - mas shouts a - loud to East - er—
Ec - ho back the an - gels' chant - ing— Let no voice to - day be want - ing—
Fit - test mu - sic for this mirth - day Is the chant that hailed His birth - day—
Join Thy saints— like them for - giv - en— In that hap - piest song of Hea - ven—

Refrain

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