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Thanks be to God

Easter Anthem

“ Why seek ye the living among the dead ? He is not here ; but is risen.” - *St. Luke 24. v. 5, 6.*

“ Death hath no more dominion over Him, death is swallowed up in victory.” - *Romans 6. v. 9.*

“ O death, where is thy sting ? O grave where is thy victory ? the sting of death is sin ; and the strength of sin is the law.”

“ But thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.” - *1 Cor. 15. v. 55, 56, 57.*

“ This is the day which the Lord hath made, we will rejoice and be glad in it.” - *Psalms 118. v. 24.*

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Allegretto. ♩ - 132 *Soprano or Tenor Solo (or Soprano Full).*

Solo

rall.

mf a tempo.

Why seek ye the liv - ing a - mong the dead? Why

rall.

a tempo.

8

dim.

p

seek ye the liv - ing a - mong the dead? He is not here; He is not here;

Solo.

dim.

Sw.

14

cres.

f rall.

He is not here, but is ris - - en, but is ris - - en.

Gt.

rall.

22

a tempo.

mf

Why seek ye the liv - ing a - mong the dead? Why seek ye the liv - ing a -

mf

Why seek ye the liv - ing a - mong the dead? Why seek ye the liv - ing a -

mf

Why seek ye the liv - ing a - mong the dead? Why seek ye the liv - ing a -

mf

Why seek ye the liv - ing a - mong the dead? Why seek ye the liv - ing a -

a tempo.

28

p *cres.*
mong the dead? He is not here; He is not here; He is not

p
mong the dead? He is not here, He is not here, He is not

p
mong the dead? He is not here, He is not here, He is not

mong the dead? He is not

Solo. *Sw.* *cres.*

35

f *rall.*

here, but is ris - - en, but is ris - en!

here but is ris - - en, but is ris - en!

here but is ris - - en, but is ris - en! Death hath no more do -

here but is ris - - en, but is ris - en! Death hath no more do -

f *rall.* *Faster.*

42

f

Death hath no more do - min - ion o - ver Him, death is swal - low'd

f

Death hath no more do - min - ion o - ver Him,

min - ion o - ver Him, Death hath no more do - min - ion o - ver Him,

min - ion o - ver Him, Death hath no more do - min - ion o - ver Him,

49

Largo. ♩ = 60.
Bass Solo.

rall.

mf a tempo.

O death, where is thy sting? O

p *rall.* *a tempo.*

87

grave, where is thy vic - to - ry? The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the

rall. ad lib.

rall. colla voce.

94

law. But thanks be un - to God, but thanks be un - to

♩ = 80

a little faster.

a little faster.
f
Ped.

99

God, to God which giv - eth us the vic - to - ry through Je - sus Christ, through Je - sus

ff rall.

ad lib.
dim.

rall.

103

Christ, our Lord.

a tempo.

rall.

108

Allegro con moto. ♩ = 132.

114

But thanks be to God which give-th us the vic-to-ry, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus

But thanks be to God which give-th us the vic-to-ry, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus

But thanks be to God which give-th us the vic-to-ry, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus

But thanks be to God which give-th us the vic-to-ry, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus

122

dim. *cres.*

Christ, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus Christ ; Thanks be to God, thanks be to God,

Christ, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus Christ ; Thanks be to God, thanks be to God,

Christ, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus Christ ; Thanks be to God, thanks be to God,

Christ, the vic-to-ry through our Lord Je - sus Christ ; Thanks be to God, thanks be to God,

dim. *cres.*

130

ff

thanks be to God

ff

thanks be to God

ff

thanks be to God

ff

thanks be to God

ff *affrett.*

139

Allegro risoluto.

148

ff

This is the day which the Lord hath made,

ff

This is the day which the Lord hath made,

risoluto.

ff

This is the day which the Lord hath made, we will re - joice, We will re - joice,

ff

This is the day which the Lord hath made, we will re - joice, We will re - joice,

This is the day which the Lord hath made, we will re - joice, We will re - joice,

This is the day which the Lord hath made, we will re - joice, we will re -

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we will re - joice, re - joice - - - we will re - joice, we will re - joice and be

we will re - joice, re - joice - - - we will re - joice, we will re - joice and be

we will re - joice, re - joice - - - we will re - joice, we will re - joice and be

joice, we will re - joice - - - we will re - joice, we will re - joice and be

165

glad in it, be glad in it. This is the day, This is the day which the

glad in it, be glad in it. This is the day, This is the day which the

glad in it, be glad in it. This is the day, This is the day which the

glad in it, be glad in it. This is the day, This is the day which the

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Lord hath made, the Lord hath made _____ .
 Lord hath made, the Lord hath made _____ .
 Lord hath made, the Lord hath made _____ .
 Lord hath made, the Lord hath made _____ .

Full. rall.

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