Christ the Lord is Risen Today

Text: Charles Wesley, 1739
Tune: Lyra Davidica, 1708

1. Christ the Lord is risen today, Al-le-lu-ia!
2. Love's redeeming work is done, Al-le-lu-ia!
3. Lives again our glorious King, Al-le-lu-ia!
4. Soar we now where Christ has led, Al-le-lu-ia!
*5. Hail the Lord of earth and heaven, Al-le-lu-ia!
*6. King of glory, soul of bliss, Al-le-lu-ia!

Earth and heaven in chorus say, Al-le-lu-ia!
Fought the fight, the battle won, Al-le-lu-ia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Al-le-lu-ia!
Following our exalted Head, Al-le-lu-ia!
Praise to thee by both be given, Al-le-lu-ia!
E-ter-nal-life is this, Al-le-lu-ia!

Raise your joys and triumphs high, Al-le-lu-ia!
Death in vain for bids him rise, Al-le-lu-ia!
Once he died our souls to save, Al-le-lu-ia!
Made like him, like him we rise, Al-le-lu-ia!
Thee we greet triumphant now, Al-le-lu-ia!
Thee to know, thy power to prove, Al-le-lu-ia!

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Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Al-le-lu-ia!
Christ has opened paradise, Al-le-lu-ia!
Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Al-le-lu-ia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Al-le-lu-ia!
Hail the Resurrection, thou, Al-le-lu-ia!
Thus to sing, and thus to love, Al-le-lu-ia!