

Lord I have cried

Afterfeast of the Elevation of the Cross

Tone 4

Kievan

O strange wonder, great and mar - ve - lous!

To - day the life - - - bear - ing Tree,

the all - ho - ly and prec - ious Cross,

being lifted up on high, is made o - pen - ly man - i - fest.

5
all the ends of the earth give glo - ry now,

6
and all the demons are sore - ly ter - ri - fied.

7
O what a gift this is,

8
kind - ly grant - ed to us mor - tal men, O Christ.//

9
Where - by save our souls, since Thou a - lone art mer - ci - ful.

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O great wonder, great and mar - ve - lous!

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The Cross, which held the Most High like a grape - clus - ter full of life,

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clear - ly doth ap - pear this day lift - ed high a - bove the earth.

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Through it, we all have been drawn nigh un - to God,

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and death is utterly swal - lowed up _____ at last.

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O thou un - sul - - - lied Tree!

16

through which, as we send up glo - ry to Christ, //

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we partake of E - den's come - ly and im - mor - tal fruit.

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O strange wonder, great and mar - ve - lous! The length and

breadth of the Cross is the e - qual of Hea - ven's span,

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for by means of grace div - ine it doth hal - low the u -

Detailed description: This system contains two staves of music. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower staff is in bass clef. Both are in a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The music consists of chords and single notes. The lyrics are: "for by means of grace div - ine it doth hal - low the u -".

ni - verse. By this, barbarian na - tions are sub - dued;

Detailed description: This system continues the music from the previous system. The upper staff has a fermata over the first measure. The lyrics are: "ni - verse. By this, barbarian na - tions are sub - dued;".

22

by this, the scepters of princ - es are made strong.

Detailed description: This system continues the music. The upper staff has a fermata over the last measure. The lyrics are: "by this, the scepters of princ - es are made strong.".

23

O lad - der most div - - - ine!

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Whereby we ascend to the Hea - ven's heights, //

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while ex - alt - ing Christ the Lord

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with hymns and songs of praise.

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Glory to the Father...

Tone 8

Obikhod

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O God, ful-filled is the saying of Thy Proph-et Mo - ses:

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Ye shall see your Life hanging be - fore your eyes.

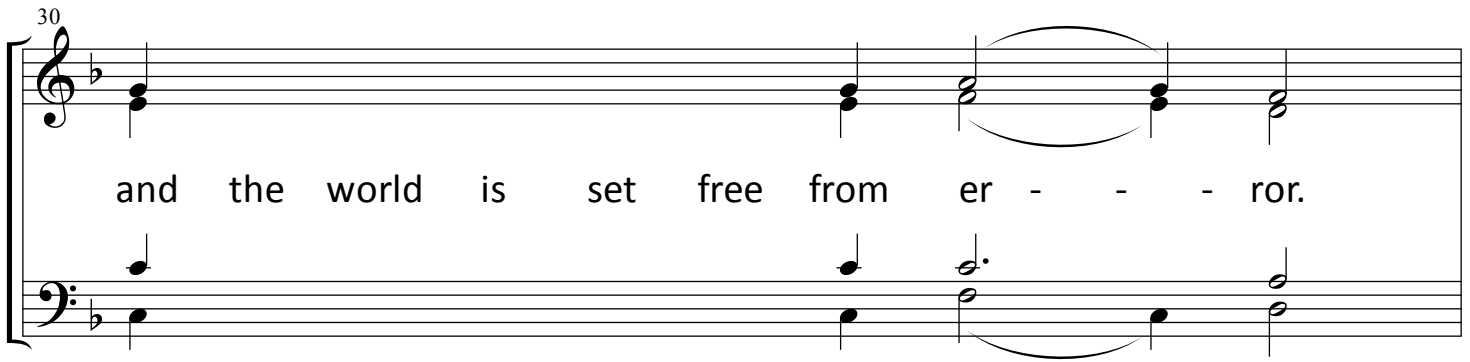
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To - day the Cross is ex - alt - - - ed

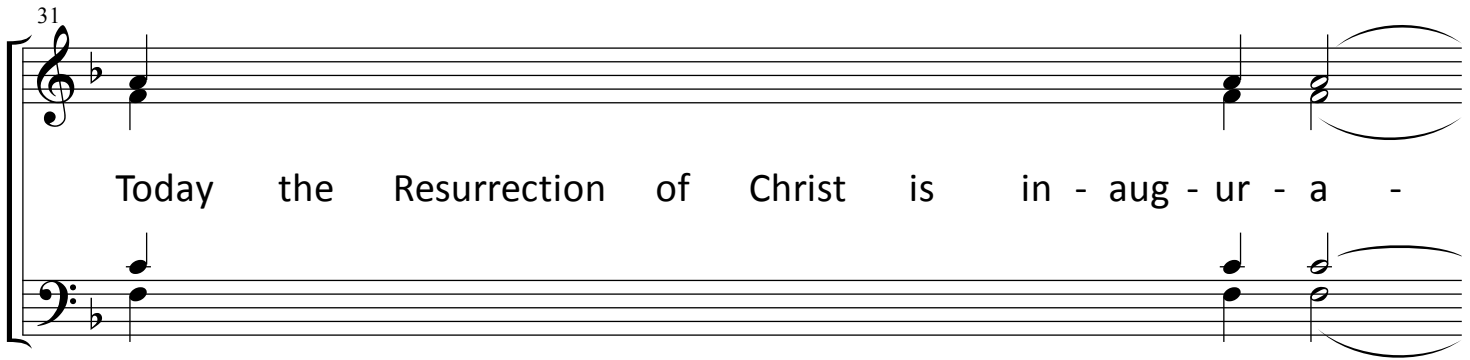
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and the world is set free from er - - - ror.

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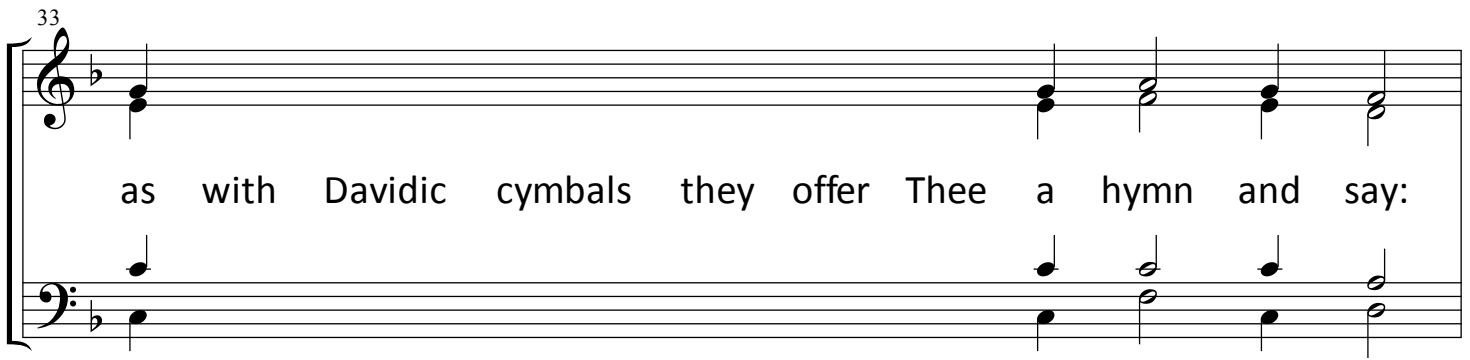


Today the Resurrection of Christ is in - aug - ur - a -



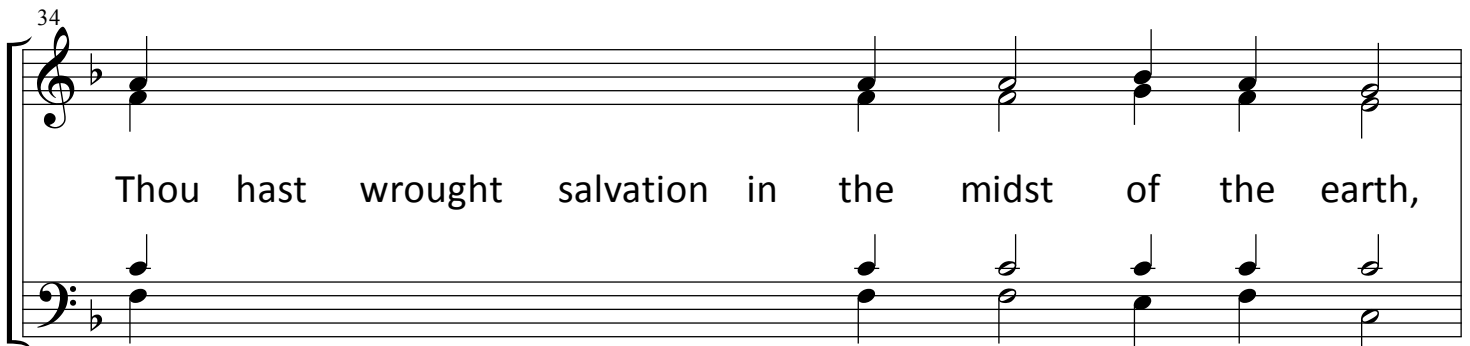
- - ted, and the ends of the earth re - joice,

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as with Davidic cymbals they offer Thee a hymn and say:

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Thou hast wrought salvation in the midst of the earth,

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O God, even the Cross and Res - ur - rec -

- - tion, whereby Thou hast saved us,

37

O Thou Who art good and the Lov - - er

of man - kind.// O Almighty Lord, glo - ry to Thee.

Glory...now and ever...

Tone 6

Aposticha

Obikhod

39

The four ends of the earth are sanc - ti - fied to - day

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by the exaltation of Thy four-branched Cross, O Christ our God;

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and with it the horn of Thy faithful is ex - alt - ed,

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who thereby crush the horns of the ad - ver - sar - ies.

43

Great art Thou, O Lord, and won - drous in Thy works!//

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Glo - - - ry be to Thee.