

309 Christ the Lord is risen today!

C G C F C Dm C G⁷ C

1 Christ the Lord is risen to - day!
 2 Lives a - gain our glo - rious King; Al - le - lu - ia!
 3 Love's re - deem - ing work is done;
 4 Soar we now where Christ has led,

F C F C G⁷ C G C Dm C G⁷ C

Sons of men and an - gels say:
 Where, O death, is now thy sting? Al - le - lu - ia!
 fought the fight, the bat - tle won;
 fol - lowing our ex - alt - ed Head;

G D⁷ G C G⁷ C G D⁷ G D⁷ G

Raise your joys and tri - umphs high;
 Once he died, our souls to save; Al - le - lu - ia!
 Death in vain for - bids him rise;
 Made like him, like him we rise;

C F C Dm C G⁷ C

Sing, ye heavens, and earth, re - ply:
 Where thy vic - to - ry, O grave? Al - le - lu - ia!
 Christ has o - pened par - a - dise.
 Ours the cross, the grave, the skies.

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