

Now the Green Blade Rises

Lyrics by: J. M.C. Crum (1872-1958)

Melody: Traditional French Carol

Arranged by: Gabrael StClair

Based on a harmony by Keyte & Parrott

The musical score is arranged in four systems. The first system includes parts for Soprano, Alto, Tenor/Bass, and Piano. The second system includes parts for Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor/Bass (T/B), and Piano (Pno.). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 2/4. The lyrics are provided below the vocal staves.

Soprano
1. Now the green blade ris - es from the bur - ied grain.
3. Forth he came at East - er, like the ris - en grain,

Alto
1. Now the green blade ris - es from the bur - ied grain.
3. Forth he came at East - er, like the ris - en grain,

Tenor/Bass
1. Now the green blade ris - es from the bur - ied grain.
3. Forth he came at East - er, like the ris - en grain,

Piano

S
5
Wheat that in dark earth man - y days has lain;
He that for three days in the grave had lain;

A
Wheat that in dark earth man - y days has lain;
He that for three days in the grave had lain;

T/B
Wheat that in dark earth man - y days has lain;
He that for three days in the grave had lain;

Pno.

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S

Love lives a - gain, that with the dead has been;
 Raised from the dead, my liv - ing Lord is seen;

A

Love lives a - gain, that with the dead has been;
 Raised from the dead, my liv - ing Lord is seen;

T/B

Love lives a - gain, that with the dead has been;
 Raised from the dead, my liv - ing Lord is seen;

Pno.

13

S

Love is come a - gain like wheat a - ris - ing green.

A

Love is come a - gain like wheat a - ris - ing green.

T/B

Love is come a - gain like wheat a - ris - ing green.

Pno.

17

S

2., 4. [Sing on "ooo."]

A

2., 4. [Sing on "ooo."]

T/B

2. In the grave they laid him, love by ha - tred slain,
4. When our hearts are win - try, griev - ing, or in pain,

Pno.

21

S

A

T/B

Think - ing that he would ne - ver rise a - gain,
Your touch can call us back to life a - gain,

Pno.

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S

A

T/B

Pno.

Laid in the earth like grain that sleeps un - seen;
Fields of our hearts that dead and bare have been;

D.C.

29

S

A

T/B

Pno.

Love is come a - gain like wheat a - ris - ing green.

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S
5. Now the green blade ris - es from the bur - ied grain,

A
5. Now the green blade ris - es from the bur - ied

T/B
5. Now the green blade ris - es

Pno.

37

S
Wheat that in dark earth man-y days has lain; Love lives a - gain that with the dead has been;

A
grain, Wheat that in dark earth man-y days has lain; Love lives a - gain.

T/B
from the bur-ied grain, Wheat that in dark earth man-y days has lain; Love lives a - gain,

Pno.

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S

Love is come a - gain like wheat a - ris - ing green.

A

Love is come a - gain like wheat a - ris - ing green.

T/B

Love is come a - gain like wheat a - ris - ing green.

Pno.