

Easter Carol

for SATB choir and piano

Words (adapted): Bishop Phillips Brooks (1835-1893)

Music: Philip Le Bas

♩.=54 Joyfully

Soprano Alto

Tenor Bass

Piano

mf

1. Tomb, thou shalt not hold him lon-ger; Death is strong, but

mf

♩.=54 Joyfully

mf

mp

6

Life_ is stron-ger; Stron-ger than the dark, the light; Stron - ger than the wrong, the right.

11

Faith and hope tri - um-phant say, Christ will rise on Ea - ster Day.

mf

18

mf

2. While the pa-tient earth lies wa-king, Till the glow of morn is brea-king, Shudd' ring 'neath the

(tenors only)

mf

23

bur-den dread Of her Ma - ster cold and dead, Hark! she hears the an gels say,

sub. p

(tenors & basses)

sub. p

28 Christ will rise_ on Ea - ster Day.

Christ will rise, will rise on Ea - ster Day.

p

mf

33

f

3. And when sun - rise strikes the moun- tains, Pour - ing light from heav'n - ly foun- tains,

mf

37

f

Then the earth blooms out to greet — Once a-gain the ble-ssed feet; And her count-less

f

42

Christ has ris'n on Ea - ster Day.

voi - ces say, Christ has ris'n, has ris'n on Ea - ster Day.

f

48 *f*

4. Up and down our lives o-be-dient, Walk, dear Christ, with foot steps ra-diant, Till a gar - den

53 *ff*

we shall be, Fair with fruits and flow'rs for thee; And our thank - ful

57 *rall.*

Christ a - rose, — a - rose on Ea - ster Day.

spi - rits say, Christ a - rose on Ea - ster Day.

Christ a - rose, — a - rose on Ea - ster Day.

ff