**HAIL THEE, FESTIVAL DAY**

**REFRAIN**

F Gm7 C Dm G7 C F C Gsus4 G C

Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed for ever;

Bb Gm A Dm F Bb F/C C F

Day when our Lord was raised, Breaking the kingdom of death.

**VERSES 1, 3, 5**

Gm D7 Gm Cm Gm Gm6 D D7

Easter 1. All the fair beauty of earth From death of the winter arising!
Ascension 3. He who was nailed to the cross Is Ruler and Lord of all people.
Pentecost 5. Bright in the likeness of fire, On those who await his appearing,

Gm D7 Gm F/A Gm Dm Bb G7 C

1. Every good gift of the year Now with its Master returns:
3. All things created on earth Sing to the glory of God:
5. He whom the Lord had foretold Suddenly, swiftly descends:

Text: 79 77 with refrain; Venantius Honorius Fortunatus, ca. 530-609; tr. composite.
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VERSES 2, 4, 6

E. 2. Rise from the grave now, O Lord, The Author of life and creation.
A. 4. Daily the loveliness grows, Adorned with the glory of blossom;
P. 6. Forth from the Father he comes With seven-fold mystical of f'ring,

2. Treading the pathway of death, New life you give to us all:
4. Heaven her gates unbars, Flinging her increase of light:
6. Pouring on all human souls Infinite riches of God:

D.C.
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Capo 3: (D) (Em7) (A) (Bm) (E7) (A) (D) (A) (Esus4) (E) (A)
F Gm7 C Dm G7 C F C Gsus4 G C

Hail thee, festival day! Blest day to be hallowed for ever;

(D) (G) (Bb) (Em) (F#) (Bm) (D) (G) (D/A) (A) (D)
Fine

Day when our Lord was raised,___Breaking the kingdom of death.

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     F C

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(G) Bb (Em) Gm (F#) A (Bm) Dm (D) F (Bb) Bb (G) F/C (D/A) C (A) F (D)

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VERSES 1, 3, 5

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TRUMPET in B♭

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