

THIS IS THE DAY

REFRAIN: *Lively* (♩ = 150)

Melody

Keyboard

A/B E A/B E A/B

This is the day _____ that the Lord has _____ made. _____

E E/G# A B E/F# B A/E E A/B

Let us be glad, _____ and let us re-joice. _____

E A/B E A/B E E/G# Bm7

He has _____ ris- en _____ just as he said. _____

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E A E/G# F#m7 A/B

This is the day, — al - le - lu - ia, — this is the day. —

1-3 E A/B E to Verses Final* E E7 A

This is the

1-3 to Verses Final* rall.

E/B C#m C#m/B F#/A# F# A/B A A/G# A/F# E Fine

day, al - le - lu - ia, — this is the day. —

8va bassa

Fine

*Final ending may be improvised *ad lib.*, in a dramatic and forceful style.

VERSES 1, 2:

Am7 D9 E sus4 E F#m7 E/G# A

1. Sing, O sing all the earth. Sing al - le -

2. This light has cast off the dark - ness, the light of

E/G# G#/B# C#m C#m/B A E/B

1. lu - ia. Go to the tomb, God has

2. Je - sus will shine. All sad - ness and fear have been

G#/B# C#m C#m/B A F#m E/G# A A/B D.C.

1. raised Je - sus up!

2. swept a - way!

D.C.

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VERSE 3:

Am7 D9 E sus4

3. The right hand of God _____ has struck with pow - er.

E F#m7 E/G# A E/G# G#/B# C#m

3. The right hand of God is ex-alt - ed;

C#m/B A E/B G#/B#

3. and we will _____ live and sing praise to our _____

C#m C#m/B A F#m E/G# A A/B D.C. al fine

3. God.