

126. SEQUENCE

Required for Easter Sunday; Optional throughout the Octave

a capella



1. Chris - tians, to the Pas - chal Vic - tim of - fer your thank - ful prais - es.



2. A Lamb the sheep re - deem - eth: Christ, who on - ly is sin - less,
3. Death and life hath con - ten - ded in that com - bat stu - pen - dous:



2. re - con - cil - eth sin - ners to the Fa - ther.
3. The Prince of life, who died, reigns im - mor - tal.

Alternate setting: verse 3

3. Death and life hath con - ten - ded in that com - bat stu - pen - dous.

The Prince of life who died reigns im - mor - tal.



4. Speak, Ma - ry, de - clar - ing What thou saw - est way - far - ing.
6. Bright an - gels at - test - ing, the shroud and nap - kin rest - ing.



5. "The tomb of Christ who is liv - ing, the glo - ry of Je - sus' res - ur - rec - tion;
7. Yea, Christ my hope is a - ris - en: to Gal - i - lee he goes be - fore you."

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Alternate setting: verses 6-7

6. Bright an - gels at - test - ing, the shroud and nap - kin rest - ing.

Musical notation for the first system, featuring a treble and bass clef with lyrics: "6. Bright an - gels at - test - ing, the shroud and nap - kin rest - ing."

7. Yea, Christ my hope is a - ris - en: to Gal - i - lee he goes be - fore you."

Musical notation for the second system, featuring a treble and bass clef with lyrics: "7. Yea, Christ my hope is a - ris - en: to Gal - i - lee he goes be - fore you."

8. Christ in - deed from death is ris - en, our new life ob - tain - ing.
Have mer - cy, Vic - tor King, ev - er reign - ing. A - men, al - le - lu - ia!

Musical notation for the third system, featuring a treble and bass clef with lyrics: "8. Christ in - deed from death is ris - en, our new life ob - tain - ing. Have mer - cy, Vic - tor King, ev - er reign - ing. A - men, al - le - lu - ia!"

Alternate setting: Amen, alleluia!

A - - - men, al - le - lu - ia!
rall.

Musical notation for the final system, featuring a treble and bass clef with lyrics: "A - - - men, al - le - lu - ia! rall."

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Alternate settings of verses 3, 6, and 7, as well as the "Amen, alleluia!" for SATB choir appear in the choir edition.

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