

Christ is Risen (d minor)

Own Melody 12th Century / Wittenberg 1529 / Choral Version: Norbert Südland 2010

The musical score consists of six staves of music in d minor, 4/4 time. The top two staves are soprano voices, the middle two are alto voices, and the bottom two are bass voices. The lyrics are integrated into the music, appearing below the notes. The score is divided into three distinct sections by lyrics:

- Section 1:** Christ is risen from all pain and suffering; therefore shall we rejoice and sing, Christ brings comfort in everything. Kyrie eleis.
- Section 2:** If he were not risen, the world would be in prison; since he's risen from the pain, we praise God father not in vain. Kyrie eleis.
- Section 3:** Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah! Therefore shall we rejoice and sing, Christ brings comfort in everything. Kyrie eleis.

The music features simple harmonic progressions with occasional chords and sustained notes. The vocal parts are mostly homophony, though some melodic variation is present in the bass and alto parts.