

# Christ the Lord was born today

Traditional Cornish Carol

"EASTER HYMN"

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1. Christ the Lord was born to - day, Hal - le - lu - jah! Rise and sing our fes - tal lay,  
2. Cause more fruit-ful to em-ploy, Hal - le - lu - jah! Heart and voice on hymn of joy,  
3. Sun of good-ness, Prince of peace, Hal - le - lu - jah! Thou, the bonds-man's soul re-lease,  
4. Thus to thee we pour the lay, Hal - le - lu - jah! On thy hap-py na - tal day,

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1. Hal - le - lu - jah! Rise, and with the che - ru - bim, Hal - le - lu - jah!  
2. Hal - le - lu - jah! Than is Christ the Sa - vior's birth, Hal - le - lu - jah!  
3. Hal - le - lu - jah! Thou who to the soul dost bring, Hal - le - lu - jah!  
4. Hal - le - lu - jah! Thus to God, our Christ-mas hymn, Hal - le - lu - jah!

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1. Sing to God our Christ-mas hymn, Hal - le - lu - jah!  
2. Ne - ver blest the sons of earth, Hal - le - lu - jah!  
3. Calm for storms, for win - ter spring, Hal - le - lu - jah!  
4. Chant we with the che - ru - bim, Hal - le - lu - jah!