

## Alleluia, Alleluia: Jesus Has Risen

Our day of atonement has passed,  
The great sacrifice given.  
Seeds nurtured in the dark  
Have grown upward, gloriously.  
Hope bursts forth  
like flowers from cold ground.  
The potential of abundant life  
Blossoms like visions of peace.  
Mercy and justice  
Seem possible prayers.  
You enter our hearts, and  
Easter in us, O Lord.  
Renewed through Resurrection,  
You grace our going forth.  
**Amen.**

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