

Exsultet

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Instrumental Accomp. provided 'only as to support the text and singing'

Freely, without tempo. Cantor leads phrases

A D G/D D D Choir/Congregation G/Bb D play section 3 times 6

The light of Chri - st. Thanks be to Go - d.

D G/D D

II

16 Ex - ult, Ex - ul - - Bb 3

hosts of hea - ven, ex - ul - - t, An - gel min - i - sters of God ex - C

Dsus D Bb 3

20 3 let the trumpet of tra - nsa - tion sound a - loud our migh - ty King's

F G/D C/D G/D D 2

tri - umph! Be glad, be - d, let earth be glad, as glo - ry floods her,

Dsus D F 3

31 a - b with light from her e - tern - al King, F let all

C 3

35 3 F Bb/F F E/F Bb/F F 3

an - gers of the earth be glad, know-ing an end to gloom and dark - ness.

Bigger, More Grand F Bb/F F E/F Bb/F F 3

mf Re - joice, re - joi - ce, let Mo-ther Church al-so re - joi - ce,

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D♭ F sus F

ar - rayed with the light - ning of his glo - ry,

let this

D♭ E♭

48

3

ho - ly buil - ding shake with joy, filled with the mag - voi - ces of the peo - ples.

Freely still

D G/D D

Measures 51-69 to be sung or said by priest or deacon only

51

mp There - fore, dear - est friends, - ding in th - some glo - ry of this ho - ly light,
B m7 G D

54

in - voke wi - me. I ask you the mer - cy of God al - mi - ghty, that
D G/D D

58

he, who has been pleased to num - me, though un - wor - thy, a - mong the Lev - ites,
B m7

61

may our in - to me his light un - sha - dowed, —
D

63

that I sing this can - dle's per - fect prai - ses. —

Hold Chords, play melody for presider and congregation

B

Rubato Tempo; pushing forward. ♩ = 90

C

78 B♭ C G/E 2 4 4

mp It is tru - ly right, to just, with ar - gent love of mind and heart _____ and
 B♭ D F B♭ C

81 4 4

with de - ser - vice of our voice to ac - claim our God in - vis - i -
 Dm E B♭ C D

85 4 4

Al - migh - ty Fa - ther, _____ and Je sus Christ, our Lord, his Son, his On - ly Be - got - ten.
 B♭ C Dm C/E

89 2 4 4

Who our __ sake paid Ad - am's debt to the e - tern - al Fa - ther, _____ D

B♭ D Gm D

93 4 4

and, pour-ing out his own dear Blood, wiped clean the re-cord of our an- cient sin - ful-ness.

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Moderately in tempo. $\text{♩} = 84$

D

97 E♭ F B♭ E♭ F B♭

These then are the feasts of Pass-o-ver, in which is slain the Lamb, true Lamb,
p

E♭ F Gm7 E♭ C

101 Grand Ritard and rec.

whose Blood a-noints the door posts of be-liev-ers,— the door posts of be-liev-ers—

mp


With great passion and reverence, in tempo $\text{♩} = 71$

E

104 D A/D G2 A/D G2 A/G 3

mf This is the night, This is the night when once you led our fore-
D/F# D/F# D maj7/F#

108 3 bears, A/G Em7 A sus from sla - ver - y in
A/G A/G A sus D

110 3 Eg ypt and made the Eg y - shod through the Red Sea.

D D G2 D A/D

113 G2 A/G 3 the night, Em7 this is A sus A 7 the

114 3 night in a pil - lar of fire ban - ished the dark - ness of sin.



119

D A/D G D A/D G A

This is the night, this is the night that ev - en - though-out the y - ,

123 D/F# Em7 D maj7/F# G

— sets Chris-tian be - liev - ers a - part from world - ly - ss — and from gloom of sin,

G maj7 E7/G# D/A

— lead - ing them to grace — and join - them to his ho - ly ones.

126 D A/D G2 D G2 A/G

mf This is the night, this is the night when Christ brokethe pris-on -

130 D/F# Em7 A sus A

bars of death and rose torious from the un - der - world.

Play with finality, ending the section

136 Bb C F Bb/D C/E F

Our life have been no gain, had we not been re - deemed.

Slowly, Joyfully, and lightly with movement $\text{♩} = 71$

F

140 D \flat A \flat /D \flat G \flat /D \flat A \flat /D \flat D \flat A \flat /D \flat A \flat /D \flat

144 D \flat A \flat /D \flat G \flat /D \flat A \flat /D \flat D \flat A \flat /D \flat A \flat /D \flat

mp O won - der of your hum - ble care for us! O char - i - ty be - - - all tell - ing,

148 B \flat m7 G \flat 2 D \flat D \flat m7 D \flat A \flat

mf to ran - sion - a slave you gave a-way Son! O tru - ly nec - es - sar - y sin of A - dam,

152 D \flat A \flat /D \flat G \flat /D \flat D \flat A \flat /D \flat G \flat /D \flat A \flat /C

des - troyed com - plete - ly by the Dea - of Chris - O hap - py fault that earned so great,

B \flat m7 G \flat 2 D \flat A \flat B \flat m7 G \flat 2 D \flat A \flat E \flat /B \flat B \flat sus B \flat

f so glo - ri - ous - a Re-deem - er! so glo - ri - ous - a Re-deem - er!

Main Theme, with grandeur

161 E \flat B A \flat 2 E \flat B \flat E \flat A \flat 2 B \flat A \flat

O tri - - - ed night, O tru - ly bless - - ed night, wor - thy a - lone to

165 E \flat B G A \flat F m7 B \flat sus B \flat

know the time and ho - ur when Christ rose from the un - der - world!

168 E♭ B♭/E♭ A♭2 E♭ B♭/E♭ A♭2 E♭/A♭

This is the night, *ff* this is the night or is writ-ten

172 E♭/G E♭/B♭ E♭aug/B Cm D♭2 E♭

Grand Ritard and Diminuendo

night shall be bright as day, and dazzling is the night to a full of



Gently $\text{♩} = 68$

G

175 A♭2 D♭maj9 A♭2 D♭maj9 A♭2

Moving glad-ness. The sancti-fy-ing pow-er of this night

180 D♭maj9

dis - pels wick-ed-ness, washes faults a - way, re-stores in - no-cence to the fall - en

182 D♭maj9 A♭2

and joy — the mour - ners, drives out ha - tred, fos - ters con - cord,

184 A♭2 D♭maj9

and brings down the migh-ty. On this, your night of grace, O ho - ly Fa - ther,



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187 Half Time Feel

F m7 E♭/G A♭ D♭ F m7 E♭/G

ac - cept this can - dle, — a sol - emn of - fer - ing, the won - der of - hand and of your

190 A♭ D♭ F m7 E♭/G A♭ D♭ F m7 E♭/G

ser-vants' hands, an eve - ning sac - ri - fice of — this gift from your most

195 A♭ D♭ A♭2 Moving again

ho - ly Church. Below we bow the prais - es of this pil - lar, —

198 D♭maj9 A♭2

which glow - ing fire ig - nites for God's son - or, — a fire in - to man - y flames di - vi - ded,

200 D♭maj9 A♭2

yet never dimmed by shar - ing light, for its fed by mel - ting wax,

202 D♭maj9 F m7 E♭/G A♭ D♭

out by another bees time Feel to build a torch so pre - cious,

204 F m7 E♭/G A♭ D♭ E♭sus E♭ rit.

build a torch so pre - cious.

Main Theme, quietly and peacefully ♩ = 67

H

208 A♭ E♭/A♭ D♭ A♭ E♭/A♭

p O tru - ly bless - ed night, O - ly bles -

211 D♭ A♭/C A♭m/B E♭/B♭ B♭/C rit.

night, when things of hea-ven are wed to those of earth and di - vine to the

Strong, Steadfast, Regal ♩ = 72

I

215 C C maj7 F/C C C C maj7 C F/C C C maj7 F/C C C C maj7 G/C F/C

human. f

219 C C maj7 F/C C C C maj7 G/C F/C C maj7 F/C C C C maj7 G sus G

There-fore, O Lord, we pray you that this ca hall-owed to the hon - or of your name,

223 C C maj7 F/C C C G7 G/C F/C A m7 F2 C G

may per - se - vere un-dismis-sed, to o - ver - come ff the dark-ness of this night.

227 A m7 F2 C G F2 G Suddenly Soft

the dark - ness of this night. p Re - ceive it as a

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230 A m7 F2 G A m7 F2 G
 plea - sing fra - grance, and let it min - gle with the lights of hea - ven. *mf* Say this name be fo

234 A m7 C/E F2 G C C/E F2
 — still burn - ing by the Morn - ing — Star: *mf* the one burn-ing Star who

238 A m7 C/E F2 G A
 ne - ver sets, the one Morn-ing star who ne - ver sets,

Triumphantly

241 D D maj7 G/D A/D D D maj7 G/D D D maj7 A/D G/D D D D maj7 G/D D
fff Christ your Son, Chri - st your Son, who,

245 G2 A Bm A/C# D D maj7 G/DD
 com - ing back from death! Who - noma - nus shed his peace-ful light on hu - man-i - ty,
f *fff*

248 D D maj7 G/D D Bbmaj9 C2(add6)
 and lives and reigns for ev - er and

250 D D maj7 G/D D D D maj7G/D D Bbmaj9 C2(add6) A m7 D
 ev - er. A - men.

