MEDITATION

Joy!

Steve Mock

*HYMN

Christ Arose

Low in the grave He lay- Jesus, my Savior! Waiting the coming day- Jesus, my Lord!

REFRAIN

Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes.
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
And His lives forever with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

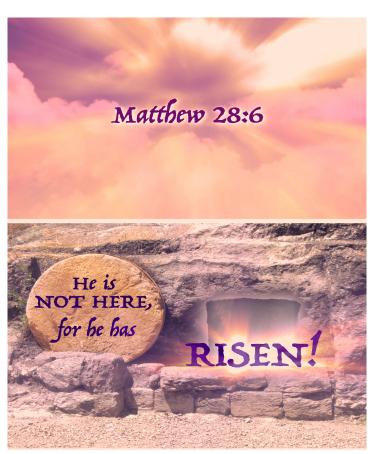
Vainly they watch His bed- Jesus, my Savior! Vainly they seal the dead- Jesus, my Lord! REFRAIN

Death cannot keep his prey- Jesus, my Savior! He tore the bars away- Jesus, my Lord! REFRAIN

*BENEDICTION

Pastor Rev. Steve Mock

Easter Sunrise Service



Sunday, Apríl 21, 2018 7:00 a.m.

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EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE APRIL 21, 2018

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Why do you look for the living among the dead?

He is not here; the Lord has risen!

People: He has risen indeed!
Leader: The Lord has risen!
People: He has risen indeed!

Leader: Where, O death, is your victory?

Where, O death, is your sting?

Death has been swallowed up in victory!

People: Christ has risen indeed!

Leader: Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life.

He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in Me will

never die."

People: Thanks be to God!

He gives us the victory through our Lord

Jesus Christ.

Leader: The Lord has risen!

All: He has risen indeed! Alleluia!

*HYMN Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

Christ the Lord is ris'n today. Alleluia!
Sons of men and angels say: Alleluia
Raise your joys and triumphs high. Alleluia
Sing ye heav'ns, and earth, reply: Alleluia

Lives again our glorious King. Alleluia
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia
Dying once, He all doth save. Alleluia
Where thy victory O grave? Alleluia

Love's redeeming work is done. Alleluia Fought the fight, the battle won. Alleluia Death in vain forbids Him rise. Alleluia Christ has opened paradise. Alleluia

Soar we now where Christ has led. Alleluia Foll'wing our exalted Head. Alleluia Made like Him, like Him we rise. Alleluia Ours the cross, the grave, the skies. Alleluia

PRAYER OF ADORATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 28:1-10

*HYMN

Alleluia! Alleluia!

(To the tune of 'Joyful, Joyful')

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Hearts to heav'n and voices raise;
Sing to God a hymn of gladness,
Sing to God a hymn of praise.
He who on the cross as Savior
For the world's salvation bled,
Jesus Christ, the King of Glory,
Now is risen from the dead.

Now the iron bars are broken,
Christ from death to life is born;
Glorious life, and life immortal,
On this resurrection morn.
Christ has triumphed, and we conquer
By His mighty enterprise;
We with Him to life eternal
By His resurrection rise.