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In Death's strong grasp the Saviour lay

Martin Luther
(1483-1546)

English version by
Catharine Winkworth
(1829-1878)

(From Cantata № 4)

(Christ lag in Todesbanden)

Harmonized by

Johann Sebastian Bach*
(1685-1750)

Arranged by E. G. Barrow

Lento e sostenuto

TENOR I *p*
1. In Death's strong grasp the Sa-viour lay, For our of-fenc-es -

TENOR II *p*
1. In Death's strong grasp the Sa-viour lay, For our of-fenc-es

BASS I *p*
1. In Death's strong grasp the Sa-viour lay, For our of-fenc-es

BASS II *p*
1. In Death's strong grasp the Sa-viour lay, For our of-fenc-es

ORGAN *Lento e sostenuto*
p (For rehearsal only)

giv - en; But now the Lord is ris'n to-day, And brings us life from heav - en.

giv - en; But now the Lord is ris'n to-day, And brings us life from heav - en.

giv - en; But now the Lord is ris'n to-day, And brings us life from heav - en.

giv - en; But now the Lord is ris'n to-day, And brings us life from heav - en.

*The melody is from Johann Walther's *Geystlich Gesangk Buchleyn* (1524).
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Christ, Him-self, the feast hath spread; By Him the hung-ry- souls are fed With

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liv - ing - bread come down from heav'n: Al - le - lu - ia!

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