

**TROPARION OF PASCHA**  
**CHRIST IS RISEN**  
Pascha to the day before Ascension

Plagal First Tone

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**Moderato**

Christ is ris - en from the dead, by death,

He has tram - pled down death, and to

those in the tombs, He has grant - ed Life.

*Final ending*

Life.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The official GOAA translation of "Christ Is Risen" has an unfortunate grammatical error, namely the words, "...trampling down upon death," which, with the use of two adverbs, makes the verb "to trample" both transitive and intransitive simultaneously and does not accurately convey the meaning of the Greek words. I have corrected this error—with no change to the melody—by using the words, "...He has trampled down death," which has the added benefit of teaming with the later clause, "He has granted life," rather than trying to team a participle (trampling) awkwardly with a clause. It is hoped that this small change will not be seen as disrespectful and will make the hymn more correct in language and meaning.