Ring The Joy-Bells, Christ Has Risen

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1. Ring the joy-bells, Christ has risen
   He who died in human pain,
   From the bondage of His prison breaks,
   To gladden earth again.

2. Ring the joy-bells of the Sabbath, blessed day when He arose,
   As the conqueror, in triumph, Death and sin His vanquished foes,
   Fill the world with their vibrations Till the strife of earth shall cease.

3. Ring the joy-bells, loud and gleeful, Sound a loud their notes of peace,
   Ringing forth the olden story, How the Christ is born again.

4. Ring the joy-bells, saints in glory; Listen to the glad refrain,
   Ring the joy-bells, ring the joy-bells, Jesus comes on earth to reign;
   Ring the joy-bells, ring the joy-bells, Jesus in our hearts shall reign;

Ring the joy-bells, ring the joy-bells, Jesus comes on earth to reign.
Ring the joy-bells, ring the joy-bells, Till the day of life shall close.
Ring the joy-bells, ring the joy-bells, Let their notes be notes of peace.
Ring the joy-bells, ring the joy-bells, Jesus in our hearts shall reign. Amen.

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