

Up Through Endless Ranks of Angels

1. Up through endless ranks of angels,
 Cries of triumph in His ears,
To His heav'nly throne ascending,
 Having vanquished all their fears.
Christ looks down upon His faithful,
 Leaving them in happy tears.
2. Death destroying, life restoring
 Proven equal to our need,
Now for us before the Father
 As our brother intercede;
Flesh that for our world was wounded,
 Living, for the wounded plead!
3. To our lives of wanton wand'ring
 Send Your Spirit, promised guide;
Through our lives of fear and failure
 With Your pow'r and love abide;
Welcome us, as You were welcomed,
 To and endless Eastertide.
4. Alleluia, alleluia!
 Oh, to breathe the Spirit's grace!
Alleluia, alleluia!
 Oh, to see the Father's face!
Alleluia, alleluia!
 Oh, to feel the Son's embrace.

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