

Easter Carol

Words and music by ERIC HIMES (from John 20:1-18; 30-31)

Unhurried ♩ = 66

A E7 A E7 A

(Mary) 1. I'm so ver - y
2. John and Sim-on

E7 A

tired but I can - not rest. I walk to the tomb feel - ing
Pet - er come now to the grave! They've sto - len our Lord; I don't

E7 A D A

just emp - ti - ness. I ent - ered the gar - den sur - prised to sur -
know where He lay. They mocked Him in life, now they mock Him in

E7 D A

vey, The stone that en - tombed Him is now rolled a - way.
death. They've tak - en Him once, I can't lose Him a -

E7

30 INTERLUDE

A2 A/E A/D A2 A/E

- gain.

A/D A2 A/E A/D A A/E A/D A

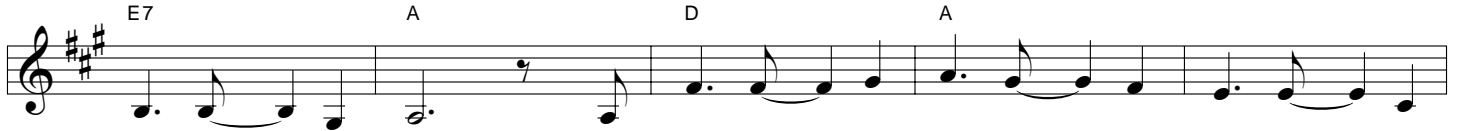
(John) 3. We ran to the
(John) 4. Is this the ful-

E7 A

gar - den, well, I ran, he tried. (Peter) But that's not im - por - tant; it's
fill - ment of all that He said? (Peter) The Scrip - tures fore - told He would

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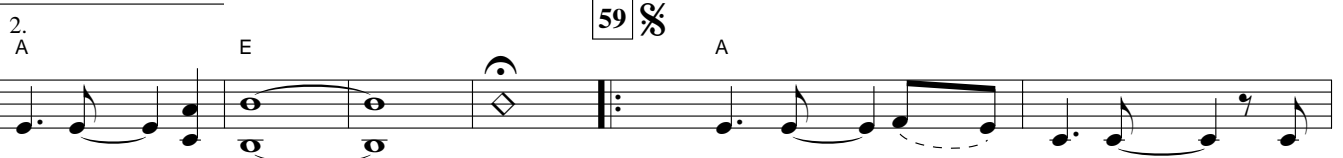
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no time for pride. (John) My friend, you must see this, there's no one in -
rise from the dead. (Both) I re - a - lize now He was more than a



side, (Peter) And on - ly His grave clothes are left here be - hind.
friend. (Both) The Sav - ior of all, the Be -

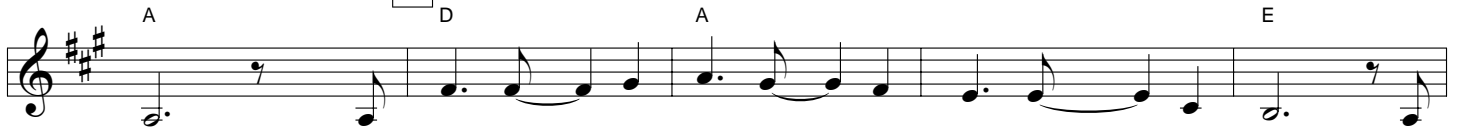


gin - ning and End. (Mary) 5. I re - turned lat - er and
(Jesus) 6. Wo - man, why do you weep? What
(Jesus) 7. Mar - y stop your weep - ing, there's

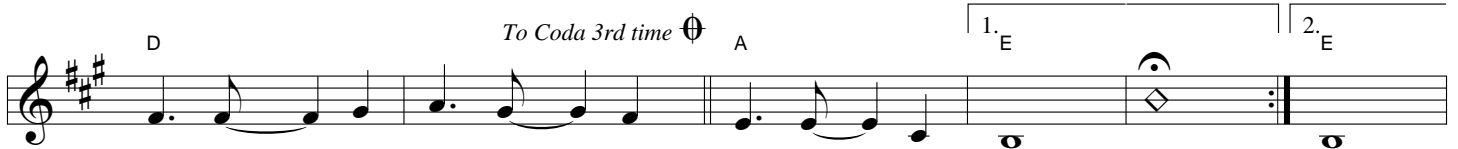


stood there and wept, I saw two bright an - gels sit in - side His
reas - on to cry? Who is it that you seek? It's just you and
no need to cry. The Sav - ior is here if you o - pen your

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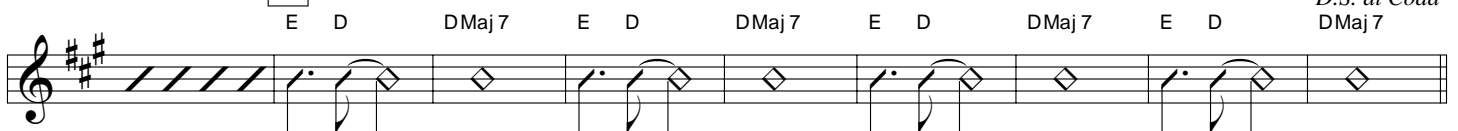


crypt. They asked why I'm cry - ing and I strained to say, "Be -
I. (Mary) This gard - 'ner has tak - en the One who I seek. Now
eyes. (Mary) My Teach - er! For - give me, I thought You were dead. For



cuase they have tak - en my Je - sus a - way!" leave.
tell where you put Him and then we will
You're not a gard - 'ner; You're

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D.S. al Coda
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(Opt. descant melody)

Coda

A E A E7

just who You said. 8. This is the sto - ry for all to be -

A E7 A

lieve, that Je - sus, Mes - si - ah is ris - en in - deed. Now

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D A E D

go tell your bro - thers - and do not de - lay - that He is the

A E A

Life and the Truth and the Way.