
Who are The Christadelphians?

The Christadelphians (*Greek for ‘Brethren in Christ’*) are a world-wide community of disciples of Jesus Christ, whose fellowship is based on a common understanding of the Bible and a commitment to living the principles contained therein to the glory of Almighty God and His Son.

Christadelphian Essential Beliefs

- ✓ The whole Bible is God’s inspired book.
- ✓ There is one God – Creator and Sustainer of everything
- ✓ Jesus Christ is God’s Son, born with our nature to be Saviour of mankind.
- ✓ The Holy Spirit is God’s power.
- ✓ Man is mortal and sinful, in need of salvation and unable to save himself.
- ✓ God’s plan is to fill the earth with His glory.
- ✓ The only hope after death is resurrection.
- ✓ Jesus will return soon, to raise the dead and judge the believers and the world.
- ✓ He will reward the faithful with everlasting life in God’s Kingdom on earth.
- ✓ Belief in the Gospel followed by baptism into Christ is essential for salvation.

For more information about *the Christadelphians*, visit one of the following websites:

- <http://www.christadelphia.org/belief.php>
- <https://www.thechristadelphian.com/about-us/christadelphian-beliefs/>

“And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent.”

- John 17:3 -

Jesus Christ is coming to reign on earth – are you ready?



Lift Up Your Heads

SATB with Piano Accompaniment

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The musical score consists of four staves: Soprano/Alto, Tenor/Bass, and Piano. The piano staff includes an optional a capella section from measure 9. The vocal parts sing in 3/4 time, while the piano provides harmonic support. The lyrics describe the Second Coming of Christ and the hope it brings.

Soprano/Alto: Starts with a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes. Lyrics: "With glo - ry and with pow - er, With the king - dom nigh at hand. Soon comes the'a-poin-ted".

Tenor/Bass: Continues the rhythmic pattern. Lyrics: "With glo - ry and with pow - er, With the king - dom nigh at hand. Soon comes the'a-poin-ted".

Piano: Provides harmonic support. Includes an optional a capella section from measure 9.

Vocal Reprise (Measures 6-11):

- Soprano/Alto:** "hour ____ when Christ on earth will stand." Dynamics: *mp*, *ff*.
- Tenor/Bass:** "hour ____ when Christ on earth will stand."
- Piano:** Harmonic support with sustained notes and dynamics: *mp*.

Vocal Reprise (Measures 12-17):

- Soprano/Alto:** "fai - ling for the trou - bles on the earth, ____ We wait the great un - veil - ing to bring Thy sons new".
- Tenor/Bass:** Rests.
- Piano:** Harmonic support with sustained notes and dynamics: *mp*.

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18 *mp* *p*
 S A birth. And tho' the night is drea - ry, and the dawn seems far a - way, And tho' our hearts are
 T B
 Pno.
 18 *mp* *p*
 S A
 T B
 Pno.
 24 *mp*
 S A wea - ry we know soon comes the day. Lift up your heads, your re - demp-tion draws
 T B
 Pno.
 24 Lift your heads, you're - demp-tion draws
 S A
 T B
 Pno.
 30 *mf*
 S A nigh. Fear not, and faint not, but look to the sky! Watch and pray
 T B
 Pno.
 30 nigh, Fear not, - faint not, but look to the sky! Watch and

36

S A al ways, he stands at the door. **p** Lift your heads, re - demp - tion draws nigh.

T B pray He

Pno.

42

S A **mp** Our lamps must keep on bur - ning, and we pray our faith will hold. Oh Lord, our hearts are

T B

Pno. **mp**

48

S A year - ning, please bring the day for - told. **mf** When faith is turned to see - ing, and our hope is to a

T B

Pno. **mf**

54

S A And love will fill our being, We grasp the heav-ny prize *mf* Lift up your
T B

Pno.

60

S A heads, your re - demp - tion draws nigh. Fear not, and faint not, but look to the
T B

Pno.

66

S A sky! Watch and pray al ways, he stands at the door. *mp* Lift your heads, ye
T B

Pno.

S A 72
 temptation draws nigh. The comes, the trumpet sound - ding with a host of heav' - nly ones, With arch -
 T B
 Pno.
 (bass has melody for next two measures. Alternatively, skip descant and have sopranos/whole choir sing regular melody line to bar 82)

S A 72
 an - gels voice re - sound - ing he'll - ga - ther all his sons. The Sun will rise and heal us, He will
 T B
 Pno.
 Sun will heal us, He will

S A 78
 raise the mor - ning dew. A rain - bow he'll re - veal us, to shine as gleam - ing jewels! He's
 T B
 Pno.

S A *mf*
 com - ing, he's com - ing, he's com - - - - ing. He's com - ing coming,
 T B *f*
 Lift up your heads, your re - demp - tion draws nigh. Fear not, and faint not, but
 Pno.
 90

S A
 com - - - ing. He's com - ing, he's com - ing He stands at the door.
 T B
 look to the sky! Watch and pray al ways, he stands at the door.
 Pno.
 96

S A
 Lift your heads, re - demp - tion draws nigh. With glo - ry and with
 T B
 Pno.
 102

109

S
A
pow - er, With his king-dom nigh at hand____ Soon comes the'a-ppoin-ted hour____when Christ on earth will stand.

T
B

Pno.