

When the Sabbath Day was Over

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Text: Mark 16:1-8, Matthew 28:1-8

Luke 23:56, 24:1-11

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Suggested Tune: Hymn to Joy

1)When the Sabbath day was over,
Women went to Jesus' tomb,
That they might anoint his body
With some spices and perfume.
On their way they asked each other,
"Who will roll away the stone,"
Since the stone was very large, and
They had gone there all alone.

2)When the women looked up, they saw
That the stone was rolled away;
In the tomb there was a young man
Robed in white of bright array.
"Do not fear," this angel told them,
"Jesus is no longer dead;
See the place where they had laid him,
He has risen as he said!"

3)Trem-bling, and oh, so bewildered,
They ran from where Christ had laid,
Nothing did they say to others,
For they all were so afraid.
But when they saw the disciples,
They told them why they had fled,
And they shared the angel's message,
"Christ has risen from the dead"

4)Let us thus go forth rejoicing
With the news the angels gave,
Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior
Now has risen from his grave.
Sin no longer can condemn us,
Death itself has lost its sting;
Thus we now shall live forever
Up in heav'n with Christ our King.

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