

Lift High The Cross

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♩ = 120

Refrain

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim,

Till all the world a - dore His sac - red Name.

Verse

1. Come, breth - ren, fol - - low where our Cap - tain trod,
 2. Led on their way by this tri - um - phant sign,
 3. Each new - born ser - - vant of the Cru - ci - - fied
 4. This is the sign which Sa - tan's le - gions fear
 5. Saved by this Cross where - - - on their Lord was slain,

our King vic - - tor - - ious, Christ the Son of God.
 The hosts of God in con - quering ranks com - bine.
 Bears on the brow the seal of Him Who died.
 and an - - gels veil their fa - ces to re - vere.
 the sons of A - - dam their lost home re - gain.

- 6. From north and south, from east and west they raise
in growing unison their songs of praise. Refrain
- 7. O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree,
as thou hast promised, draw the world to thee. Refrain
- 8. So shall song of triumph ever be:
Praise to the Crucified for victory. Refrain

- 9. Let every race and every language tell
of him who saves our souls from death and hell. Refrain
- 10. From farthest regions let their homage bring,
and on his Cross adore their Savior King. Refrain
- 11. Set up thy throne, that earth's despair may cease
beneath the shadow of its healing peace. Refrain

12. For thy blest Cross which doth for all atone
creation's praises rise before thy throne. Refrain