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*For The Spirit of Orthodoxy Choir*

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## *Behold, the Bridegroom*

*Lento*

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A *mp*  
Be - hold, the Bride - groom comes in the mid - dle of the night:

T *pp*  
Ah.....

B *pp*  
Ah.....

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*mp*  
and bles - sed is the ser - vant whom He shall find watch - ing,

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*mp*  
and bles - sed is the ser - vant whom He shall find watch - ing,

*mp*  
and bles - sed is the ser - vant whom He shall find watch - ing,

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but un-wor - thy is he whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. *mf*  
 but un-wor - thy is he whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. *mf* Be-ware, then, o my soul,  
 Ah. whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. *mf* Be-ware, then, o my soul,  
 Ah. whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. Be-ware, then, o my soul,

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and be not o-ver-come by sleep, lest thou be gi-ven o - ver to death and shut  
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out from the King - - - dom. *mf*  
 out from the King - - - dom. *mf* But re-turn to so-ber-ness and cry a-loud:  
 out from the King - - - dom. *mf* But re-turn to so-ber-ness and cry a-loud:  
 out from the King - - - dom. *mf* But re-turn to so-ber-ness and cry a-loud:

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly art Thou, O God:  
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 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly art Thou, O God:

12 *mp*  
 through the The - o - to - - - kos have mer - cy up - on us.  
 through the The - o - to - - - kos have mer - cy up - on us.  
 through the The - o - to - - - kos have mer - cy up - on us.  
 through the The - o - to - - - kos have mer - cy up - on us.

13 *3rd time only* *mp*  
 and bles-sed is the ser - vant whom He shall find watch-ing,  
*mp* Be-hold, the Bride-groom comes in the mid-dle of the night: and bles-sed is the ser - vant, whom He shall find watch-ing,  
*pp* Ah. *mp* and bles-sed is the ser - vant whom He shall find watch-ing,  
*pp* Ah. and bles-sed is the ser - vant whom He shall find watch-ing,

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 but un-wor - thy is he whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. *mf*  
 but un-wor - thy is he whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. *mf* Be-ware, then, o my soul,  
 Ah. whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. *mf* Be-ware, then, o my soul,  
 Ah. whom He shall find in sloth - ful-ness. Be-ware, then, o my soul,

18 *mf*  
 and be not o-ver-come by sleep, lest thou be gi-ven o - ver to death and shut  
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out from the King - - - - dom. *mf* But re-turn to so-ber-ness and cry a-loud:

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out from the King - - - - dom. *mf* But re-turn to so-ber-ness and cry a-loud:

out from the King - - - - dom. *mf* But re-turn to so-ber-ness and cry a-loud:

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly art Thou, O God:

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through the The - o - to - - - - kos *ff* have mer - cy up - on us.

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