

# Stichera on "Lord, I Call"

Venerable Nicetas - April 3

Tone 2  
Sticheron 1

Kievan Chant  
arr. from B. Ledkovsky

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

You di - rect - ed souls with your teach - ing. As one who

Detailed description: This system contains the first two staves of the musical score. The Soprano and Alto parts are written on a single staff with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The Tenor and Bass parts are written on a single staff with a bass clef and the same key signature. The lyrics are: "You di - rect - ed souls with your teach - ing. As one who".

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Detailed description: This system contains the second two staves of the musical score. The Soprano and Alto parts are on a treble clef staff, and the Tenor and Bass parts are on a bass clef staff. The lyrics are: "with faith guided others to knowledge of mys - ti - cal things, you".

showed your-self to be a divine build - er. Sow-ing the sav - ing

Detailed description: This system contains the third two staves of the musical score. The Soprano and Alto parts are on a treble clef staff, and the Tenor and Bass parts are on a bass clef staff. The lyrics are: "showed your-self to be a divine build - er. Sow-ing the sav - ing".

and good seeds, you harvested fruits in abundance, O God -

Detailed description: This system contains the final two staves of the musical score. The Soprano and Alto parts are on a treble clef staff, and the Tenor and Bass parts are on a bass clef staff. The lyrics are: "and good seeds, you harvested fruits in abundance, O God -".

bear - er, bring - ing them to your Mas - ter. Now you stand

be - fore Him, O blessed one, re - joic - - ing. // Re - mem - ber your

flock which always honors you, O divine - ly - in - spired Ni - ce - tas!

## Sticheron 2

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

Meek — and gen - tle by na - ture, you were fervent in

de - fend - ing the Or - tho - dox faith. Cov - ered with faith as with

ar - mor and armed with ab - sti - nence as with a spear, you

denounced all blasphemous heresy, O divinely-wise Ni - ce - - - tas,

hon - or - ing the divine icon of the Sav - ior // clear - ly

o - bey - ing the de - crees of the fa - - - thers.

## Sticheron 3

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

When the most dark — tyrant with bru - tal cruel - ty con - fined

you by harsh banishments to the dark - est plac - - - es, you

pa - tient - ly en - dured the savagery of wild beasts, O Fa - ther.

In your mind you glorified them as if they were the dwellings of

Par - a - dise. Now you behold their true beau - - - ty, //

en - joy - ing the re - wards of your la - - - bors.