

Doxastichon at the Aposticha

Dormition - August 15

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kievan Chant

arr. from B. Ledkovsky

Tone 4

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

At your departing, O Vir - gin The - o - to - kos, to Him Who was

Detailed description: This block contains the first line of the doxastichon. It features four staves: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass. The music is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The lyrics are: "At your departing, O Vir - gin The - o - to - kos, to Him Who was". The Soprano and Alto parts are in a high register, while the Tenor and Bass parts are in a lower register. The music consists of simple, rhythmic patterns.

in - ef - fa - bly born of you, James, the first bishop and brother of the Lord

Detailed description: This block contains the second line of the doxastichon. It features two staves: Soprano and Alto. The music continues from the first line. The lyrics are: "in - ef - fa - bly born of you, James, the first bishop and brother of the Lord". The music consists of simple, rhythmic patterns.

was there, and so was Peter, the most honored pinnacle of the theo - lo - gians,

Detailed description: This block contains the third line of the doxastichon. It features two staves: Soprano and Alto. The music continues from the second line. The lyrics are: "was there, and so was Peter, the most honored pinnacle of the theo - lo - gians,". The music consists of simple, rhythmic patterns.

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Detailed description: This block contains the fourth line of the doxastichon. It features two staves: Soprano and Alto. The music continues from the third line. The lyrics are: "and the whole sacred choir of the A - pos - - - tles. In words of". The music consists of simple, rhythmic patterns.

theology that showed forth heav - en - ly things they sang the praises of the

divine and amazing mystery of the dispen - sa - tion of Christ, and they rejoiced,

O all-praised Virgin, as they bur - ied your bod - y, the source of

Life, which had re - ceived God. On high, the all-holy and most venerable

an - gel - ic Pow - ers, in amazement at the wonder, bowed and said

to one— a - noth - er: "Lift up your gates, and receive her who

bore the Creator of heav-en and earth!" So we too celebrate your mem - o - ry

and cry out to you, all-praised La - dy: // "Raise up the horn of

Christ-ians and save our souls!"