

THE ROYAL PASSION-BEARERS OF RUSSIA: NICHOLAS, ALEXANDRA, ALEXEI, OLGA, TATIANA, MARIA, AND ANASTASIA

Troparion - Tone 4

Abbreviated Greek Chant
arr. from W. Obleschuk

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Today, O right-believing people, let us brightly hon -

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or the noble group of seven royal pas - sion - bear - ers, a

Detailed description: This block contains the second line of the troparion. It features two vocal staves: Soprano/Alto (treble clef) and Tenor/Bass (bass clef). The key signature is one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: "or the noble group of seven royal pas - sion - bear - ers, a". The music consists of a few notes on each staff, with a fermata over the final note of the phrase.

single household of the Church of Christ: Nicholas and Alex -

Detailed description: This block contains the third line of the troparion. It features two vocal staves: Soprano/Alto (treble clef) and Tenor/Bass (bass clef). The key signature is one sharp (F#). The lyrics are: "single household of the Church of Christ: Nicholas and Alex -". The music consists of a few notes on each staff, with a fermata over the final note of the phrase.

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[fearing neither chains...]

fearing neither chains nor many suf - fer - ings they ac -

cepted abuse and death from the god - less ones, and ob-tained

boldness in prayer be - fore the Lord. Therefore we cry out to

them with love: "O holy passion - bear - ers, re-ceive the

voice of repentance and the cry of all Or - tho - dox peo - ple,

confirm the lands of Rus' in love for the Or - tho - dox faith,

pre - serve them from civ - il strife, // and beseech God to grant



peace for the world and great mer - cy to our souls."