

Stichera at Lord, I Call - Tone 6

(This version of Tone 6 is used at Lord, I Call and the Praises.)

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v. 1

Bring my — soul — out of pris - - - on that —

I — may give thanks — to — Thy — name.

1.

Tri - um - phant o - ver Ha - des, O — Christ, —

Thou — didst as - cend — the — cross, that Thou

might - est raise — to - geth - er with Thy - self those who sat —

in the dark - ness — of — death, since Thou art — free —

a - mong the — dead. O Thou who pour - est forth —

life from Thine own — light, O al - might - y Sav -

- - - iour, have mer - cy — on — us.

v. 2

The right - eous will sur - round — me, for —

Thou wilt deal boun - ti - f'ly with me.

2. Hav - ing tram - pled on death, to - day Christ

is ris - en, as He said, grant - ing joy

to the world, that we may all cry a -

loud and sing the hymn: "O Foun - tain of

life, O un - ap - proach - a - ble Light, O al -

might - y Sav - - - iour, have mer - cy

on us."

v. 3 Out of the depths I cry to Thee, O Lord, O

Lord, hear my voice.

3. O Lord, Who art pres - ent in all of cre - a -

- - tion, where shall we sin - ners run to flee from — Thee?

To heav - - - en? But Thou dwell - est — there.

To Ha - - - des? But Thou has tram - pled on — death.

To the deep - est parts of — the sea? But Thy hand is there as well,

O Mas - ter. To Thee we — flee, — and — fall -

ing be - fore — Thee — we — pray: "O Thou who art ris -

en — from the — dead, have mer - cy — on — us!"

v. 4 Let Thine ears — be at - ten - - - tive to

the — voice — of my — sup - pli - ca - - tion.

4. In — Thy — cross do we boast, — O — Christ, and Thy

res - ur - rec - tion do — we hymn and — glo - ri - - fy,

for Thou _____ art _____ our _____ God and we _____

know _____ none _____ oth - er _____ than _____ Thee.

v. 5 If Thou, O Lord shouldst mark in - iq - ui - ties, O

Lord _____ who could stand? But there _____ is _____ for - give -

ness _____ with _____ Thee.

5. Ev - er _____ bless - ing the _____ Lord, we _____ praise

His _____ res - ur - rec - - - tion, for _____

He en - dured _____ the _____ cross, tram - pling _____ down _____

_____ death _____ by _____ death.

v. 6 For Thy name's _____ sake I wait _____ for Thee, _____ O _____

Lord. My soul has wait - ed _____ for Thy word; my soul _____ has _____

hoped in the Lord.

6. Glo - ry to Thy might, O Lord, for Thou hast
de - stroyed him who held the do - min - ion of death, re -
new - ing us through Thy cross, and grant -
ing us life and in - cor - rup - tion.

v. 7. From the morn - ing watch un - til night, from the
morn - ing watch let Is - ra - el hope in the Lord.

7. Thy bur - i - al, O Lord, rent a - sun - der the
bonds of Ha - des, crush - ing them, and Thy ris - ing
from the dead en - light - ened the world. O
Lord, glo - ry to Thee.