

NATIVITY OF THE HOLY GLORIOUS PROPHET, FORERUNNER AND BAPTIST, JOHN

Kontakion - Tone 3

Russian Imperial Court Chant
arr. from Lvov/Bakhmetev

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

To-day the formerly barren woman gives birth to Christ's

Fore-run - ner, who is the fulfillment of every pro - phe-cy;

for in the Jor - dan, when he laid his hand on

the One foretold by the pro - phets, he was revealed as Prophet,

Herald, and Fore - run - ner of God the Word.

“Glory...” & “Now and ever...”

as sung before Troparia and Kontakia

Tone 3

1. “Glory...” alone.

arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the

This system shows the first part of the melody for 'Glory...'. It consists of a treble and bass staff in G major. The treble staff has a melody of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The bass staff has a bass line of quarter notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, B3, A3, G3. The lyrics are 'Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the'.

Ho - ly Spir - it.

This system shows the second part of the melody for 'Glory...'. The treble staff has a melody of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The bass staff has a bass line of quarter notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, B3, A3, G3. The lyrics are 'Ho - ly Spir - it.'.

2. “Now and ever...” alone.

Now_ and ev - er and unto ages of a - ges. A - men.

This system shows the first part of the melody for 'Now and ever...'. The treble staff has a melody of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The bass staff has a bass line of quarter notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, B3, A3, G3. The lyrics are 'Now_ and ev - er and unto ages of a - ges. A - men.'.

3. “Glory...” & “Now...” together.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it,

This system shows the first part of the melody for 'Glory... & Now...'. The treble staff has a melody of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The bass staff has a bass line of quarter notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, B3, A3, G3. The lyrics are 'Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it,'.

now and ever and unto ages of a - ges. A - men.

This system shows the second part of the melody for 'Glory... & Now...'. The treble staff has a melody of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The bass staff has a bass line of quarter notes: G3, A3, B3, C4, B3, A3, G3. The lyrics are 'now and ever and unto ages of a - ges. A - men.'.

Note: “Glory...” and/or “Now and ever...” is sung in the Tone and melody that follows.