

DORMITION OF OUR MOST-HOLY LADY THE THEOTOKOS AND EVER-VIRGIN MARY

Kontakion - Tone 2

Russian Imperial Court Chant
arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Soprano
Alto

Nei-ther the tomb, nor death, could hold the The - o -

Tenor
Bass

to - kos, who is constant in prayer and our firm hope

in her inter - ces - sions For be - ing the Mo - ther of Life,

she was translated to life by the One who dwelt in her

vir - gin - al womb.

“Glory...” & “Now and ever...”

as sung before Troparia and Kontakia

Tone 2

1. “Glory...” alone.

arr. from Imperial Chapel Chant

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

This block contains the musical notation for the first part of the chant. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one flat. The melody is primarily chordal, with some eighth-note movement in the treble line. The lyrics are: "Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Holy".

Spir - it.

This block contains the musical notation for the second part of the chant. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one flat. The melody is primarily chordal. The lyrics are: "Spir - it.".

2. “Now and ever...” alone.

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

This block contains the musical notation for the second part of the chant. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one flat. The melody is primarily chordal, with some eighth-note movement in the treble line. The lyrics are: "Now and ev - er and unto ages of a - ges. A - men.".

3. “Glory...” & “Now...” together.

Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly

This block contains the musical notation for the first part of the combined chant. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one flat. The melody is primarily chordal. The lyrics are: "Glo - ry 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 block contains the musical notation for the second part of the combined chant. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one flat. The melody is primarily chordal, with some eighth-note movement in the treble line. The lyrics are: "Spir - it, 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.