

Stichera at "Lord, I Call"

Martyr Tatiana of Rome - January 12

Tone 2

Sticheron 1

Optina Hermitage Chant

Model melody: "Joseph of Arimathea"

The musical score is written for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass. It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (Soprano/Alto or Tenor/Bass) and a piano accompaniment line. The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: Rich - ly il - lu - mined by the light of the Spir - it, thou didst spurn earthly rich - es, loving only those of heav - en, and wast in - vest - ed with the strength of the mar - tyrs. The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and slurs.

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

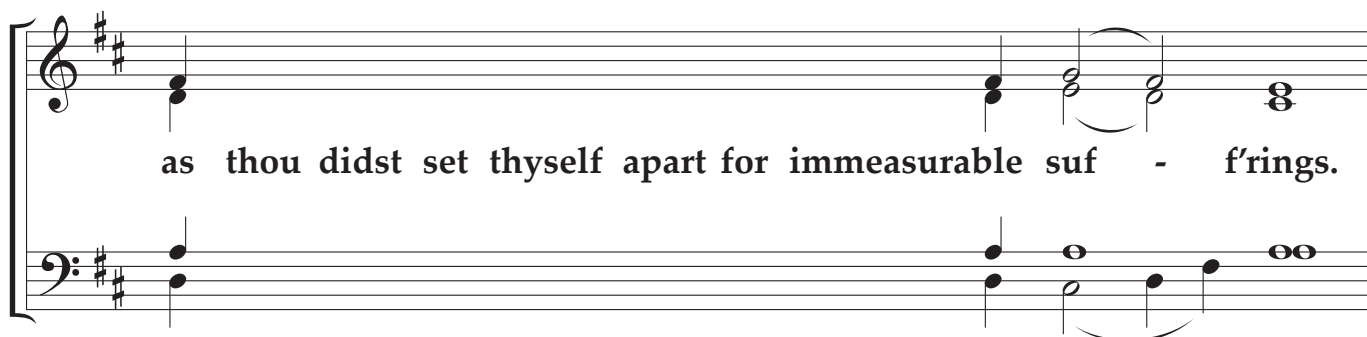
Rich - ly il - lu - mined by the light of the

Spir - it, thou didst spurn earthly rich - es,

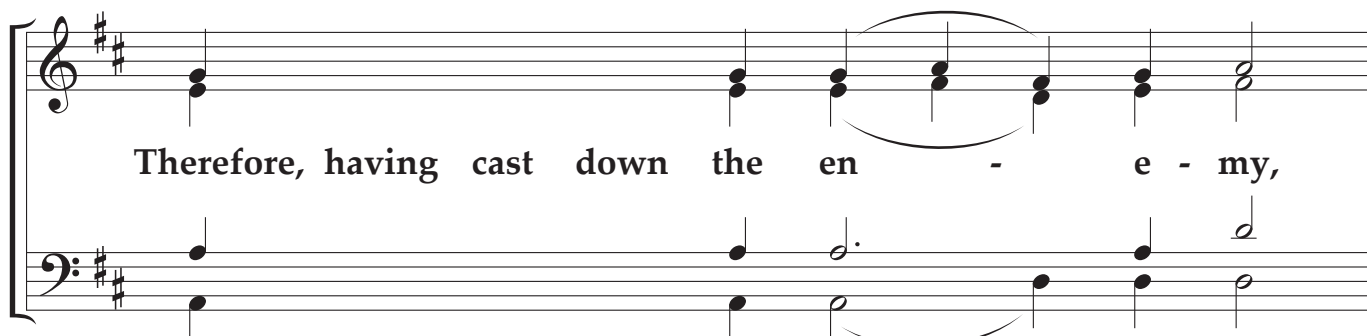
loving only those of heav - en, and wast in -

vest - ed with the strength of the mar - tyrs

[as thou didst. . .]



as thou didst set thyself apart for immeasurable suf - f'rings.



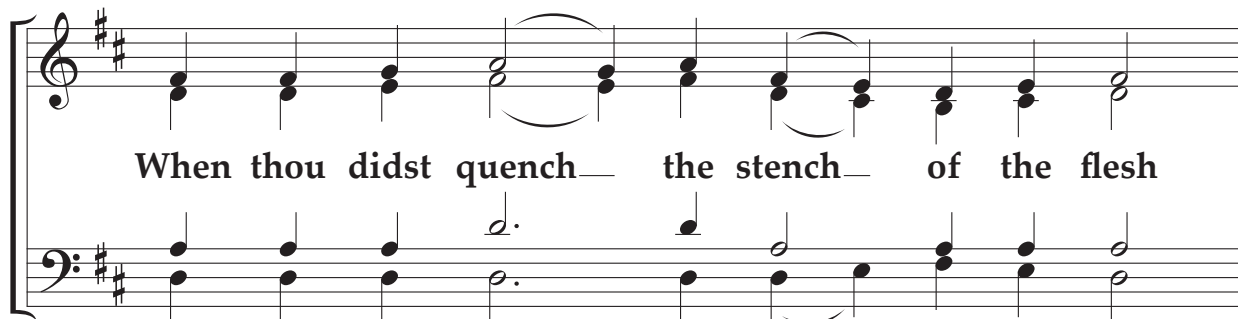
Therefore, having cast down the en - e - my,

thou hast plaited a wreath of vic - to - ry, //



O all - glo - rious mar - tyr.

Sticheron 2



When thou didst quench the stench of the flesh

[and the flame...]

and the flame of sin with the dew of the Holy Spir -

it Who worked with-in thee, thou didst tame the

wild beasts in the midst of the arena,

as thou didst courageously give thyself over to sufferings, O

hon-ored one. Therefore, having cast down the enemy,

[thou hast plaited...]

thou hast plaited a wreath of vic - to - ry, //

O Ta - tia - na, bless - ed of God.

Sticheron 3

Nei - ther sword, nor fire, nor wounds,

nor trib - u - la - tions, nor starvation, nor any

kind of tor - ture, could dull thy love

[and devotion...]

and de - vo - tion to the Lord. Seek - ing Him with a

heart a - flame, thou didst spurn all visible things, O

mar - tyr, and thou mad - est thy home

in the midst of the divine bridal cham - ber,

becoming the bride of the King of All.