

Stichera at “Lord, I Have Cried”

Glorification of St. Tikhon of Moscow - Oct. 9

Sticheron 1

Tone Four, Model Melody: “As one valiant”

O di - vine - ly inspired teacher of the my - - ste - ries,

Ho - ly Fa - ther Tik - - - hon, we know thee

as a foundation of Truth and con - fir - ma - tion of the Faith,

expounder of piety, abode of pu - - - ri - ty,

e - lect ves - - - sel, fra - grance of the

Spi - - - rit, truly great treasury of teach - ings,

and a foun - da - tion of the Church of Christ in the Rus - sian

lands and North A - mer - - - i - ca.

We ho - nor thee, O all-praised God-bearing Fa - ther Tik - - -

hon, suc - ces - sor to the A - pos - - - tles,

and of like cha - rac - ter with the mar - - - - tyrs,

zealous emulator of the ascetics, seal of teach - - - - ers,

di - vine mo - - - del, ex - pound - er

of the Mys - t'ries of Christ, and river spilling out holy un-der -

stand - ing, drown-ing the in-ten-tions of the blas-phe-mers

and trans - gres - sors, O truly wise New

Con-fes - sor Tik - - - hon.

Hav - ing in - creased the tal - ent of wis - - - dom,

O tru - ly rich. One, thou wast giv - en the

joy of the Lord. A - dorned with the grace,

of di - vine ra - - - di - ance and shin - ing

no - e - ti - c'ly with spi - rit - ual rays,

thou dost stand now at the right hand of the Bear - er of Life,

al - ways il - lu - mined, O glorious New Con -

fes - sor Tik - - - hon.

Glory...in the Sixth Tone:

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - - -

The first system of musical notation consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, in the key of D major. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics "Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho" are written below the notes. The word "Ho" is followed by three dashes, indicating a long note or a pause.

ly Spi - - - rit.

The second system of musical notation consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, in the key of D major. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics "ly Spi - - - rit." are written below the notes. The word "Spi" is followed by three dashes, indicating a long note or a pause.

Grace poured out from thy lips, O God-bearing Father Tikhon
and thou didst become a shepherd of the Church of Christ,
teaching thy rational sheep to believe in the Trinity //
one in essence and one God-head.

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Tone Eight

Glorious dawn of the wisdom of God
holy vessel of the Grace of God,
O splendor of Hierarchs,
true example of the monastic way of life,
firm defender and protector //
who delivers our souls from the bondage of the enemy.

verse: Precious in the sight of the Lord

is the death of His saints.

The musical notation consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, in a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in the treble clef and the bass line in the bass clef. The lyrics are placed below the notes. The word 'death' is followed by a long horizontal line indicating a melisma. There are two large oval ornaments above the notes for 'death' and 'of'.

O Holy Hierarch Tikhon
Thou wast given great authority and power by God
to cast away the multitude of demons,
and to preserve us from their hatred of mankind
through the power of thy prayers, //
and to protect all those who come to thee with faith and love.

verse: What shall I render to the Lord

for all that He hath ren - - - dered un - to me.

The musical notation consists of two staves, treble and bass clef, in a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in the treble clef and the bass line in the bass clef. The lyrics are placed below the notes. The words 'ren - - - dered' are connected by hyphens. There are two large oval ornaments above the notes for 'ren - - - dered'.

How shall we honor the great Hierarch Tikhon?
Whose pure thoughts and blessed accomplishments
have enlightened us with Divine Wisdom,
and have illumined us with the grace of his confession.

Therefore we the faithful cry aloud: //

rejoice, our father among the fathers, Holy Hierarch Tikhon.

verse: Glory... in the First Tone:

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the

Ho - - - ly Spi - - - rit.

"I call up - on you, Arch-pas - tors and Pas - tors,"

were the words of our Holy Pat - ri - arch Tik - - - hon,

St. Tikhon, Aposticha, continued

“and you my sons and my daughters in Christ to go forth into

the world with the mes - sage of re - pen - tance to stand

firm — a - gainst the e - nem - ies of the Church with the po - wer

and strength of our faith. I call up - on you to suffer to - ge - ther

with me, re - mem - ber - ing the words of the A -

pos - tile: 'no one can separate us from the love of

God!"