

The Prophets Proclaimed You

Sung at the vesting of a bishop

Mily A. Balakirev (1837–1910)

Moderato

pp

The pro-phets pro-claimed you from on high, O Vir-gin: the
jar, the staff, the tablets of the Law, the ark, the can - dle -
stick, the ta - ble, the mount un - clov - en,
the gold - en cen - ser, the gold -
the gold - en, the gold -
the gold - en cen -

cresc.

- en cen - ser, the gold - en, the gold -
 - en cen - ser, the gold - en, the gold -
 - en cen - ser, the gold - en cen-ser, the gold - en
 - en cen - ser, the gold - en cen-ser, the gold - en

- en cen - ser, the tab - er-na - cle,
 - en cen - ser, the tab - er-na - cle,
 cen-ser, the gold - en cen-ser, the tab - er-na - cle,
 cen-ser, the gold - en cen-ser, the tab-er-na - cle,

pp

the gate im - pas - si - ble, the pal - ace and lad - der,
 and the throne_ of_ kings.