

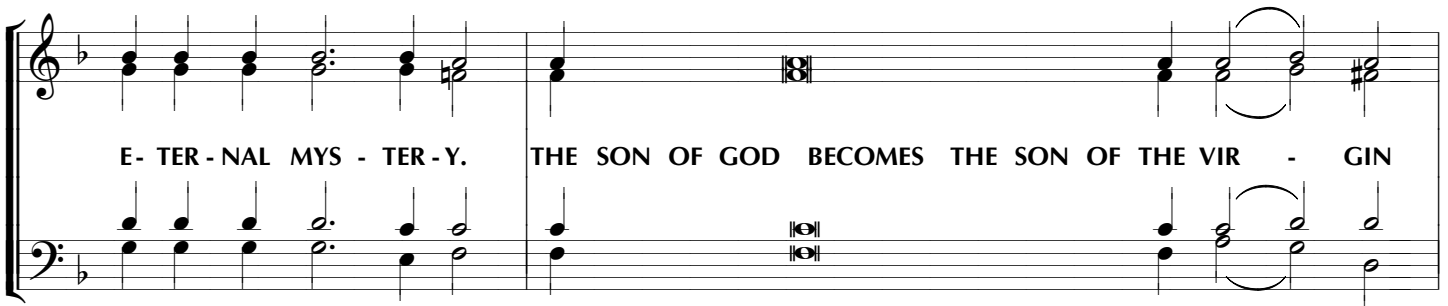
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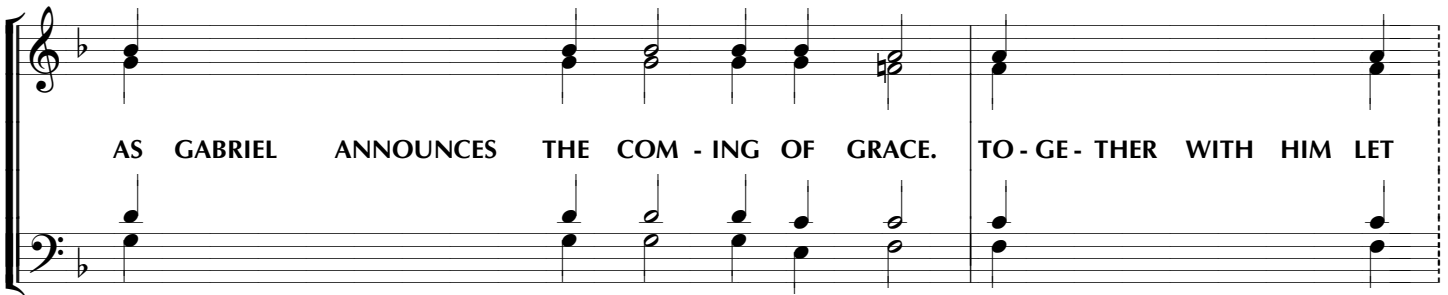
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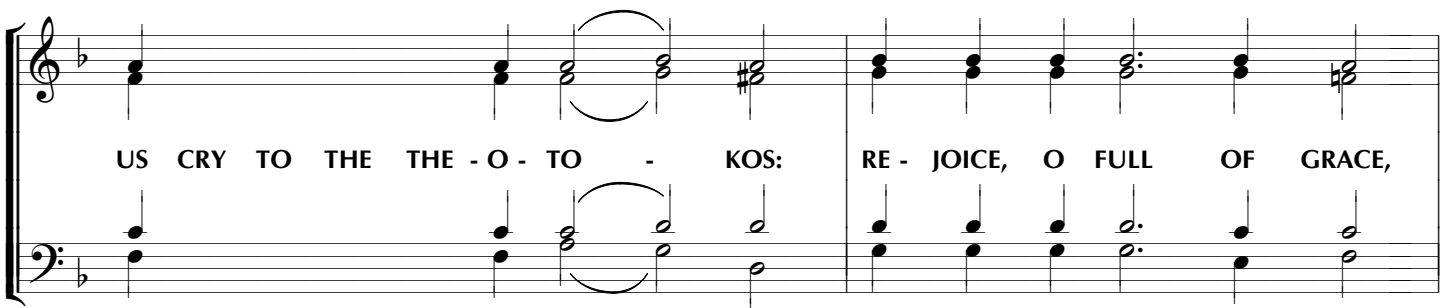
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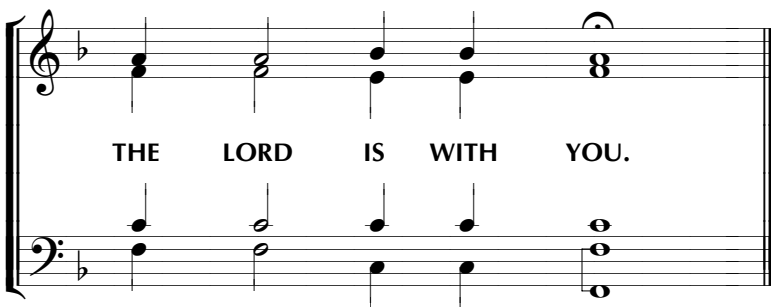
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THE LORD IS WITH YOU.

Kontakion

Tone 8

O VIC - TO - RI - OUS LEA - DER OF TRI - UM - PHANT HOSTS, WE

YOUR SER - VANTS DE - LIV - ERED FROM EV - IL SING OUR GRATEFUL THANKS

TO YOU, O THE - O - TO - KOS AS YOU POS - SESS IN - VINC - I - BLE MIGHT, SET

US FREE FROM EVERY CA - LA - MI - TY, SO THAT WE MAY SING: RE -

JOICE, O UN - WED - DED BRIDE.

LITIYA

Tone 1

Verse 1

IN THE SIXTH MONTH THE CHIEF OF THE AN - GEL - IC HOSTS WAS SENT TO THE

PURE VIR - GIN, TO DE - CLARE TO YOU THE WORD OF SAL - VA - TION

AND TO GREET YOU SAY - ING: RE - JOICE, YOU WHO ARE FULL OF

GRACE, THE LORD IS WITH YOU. YOU SHALL BRING FORTH A SON

BE - GOT - TEN BEFORE THE AGES FROM THE FA - THER, AND HE SHALL

SAVE HIS PEO - PLE FROM THEIR SINS.

Verse 2

IN THE SIXTH MONTH GA - BRI - EL THE ARCH - AN - GEL WAS SENT FROM THE

CITY OF NAZARETH IN GAL - I - LEE, TO BRING TO THE MAIDEN GLAD TID -

INGS OF JOY. AND COMING BEFORE HER HE CRIED A - LOUD, SAY - ING:

RE - JOICE, YOU WHO ARE FULL OF GRACE: THE LORD IS WITH YOU.

RE- JOICE, VESSEL CONTAINING THE NATURE THAT CAN - NOT BE CON - TAINED, FOR

YOUR BLESS - ED WOMB HAS HELD HIM WHOM THE HEA - VENS HELD NOT.

REJOICE, O LADY, RESTORATION OF ADAM AND DE - LI - VER - ANCE OF EVE,

JOY OF THE WORLD AND GREAT REJOICING OF MAN - KIND.

Verse 3

THE AN - GEL GABRIEL WAS SENT FROM HEA - VEN BY GOD TO AN UNDEFILED

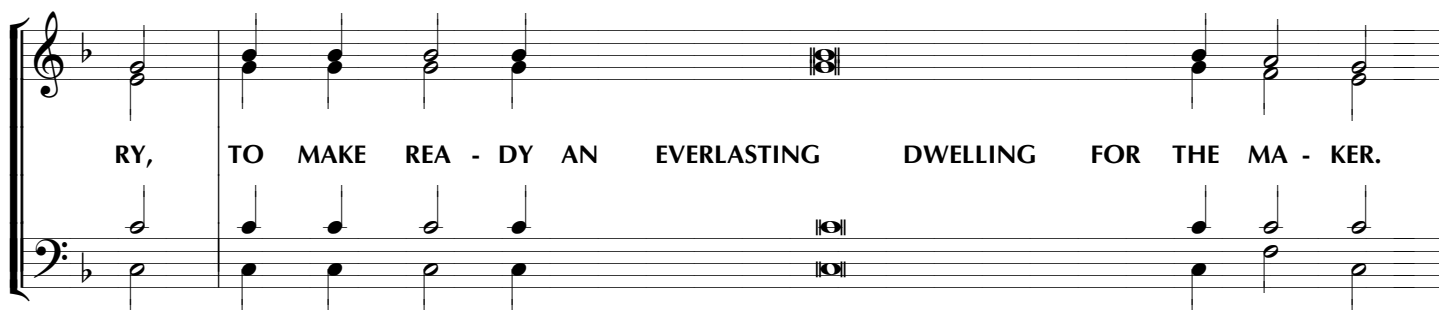
VIRGIN IN THE CITY OF GAL - I - LEE, TO BRING HER GLAD TIDINGS

OF THE WONDROUS MANNER OF HER CON - CEIV - ING. THE BODILESS SERVANT

WAS SENT TO THE LIV - ING CI - TY AND THE SPIR - I - TUAL GATE,

TO MAKE KNOWN TO HER THE CONDESCENSION AND THE COMING OF THE MAS -

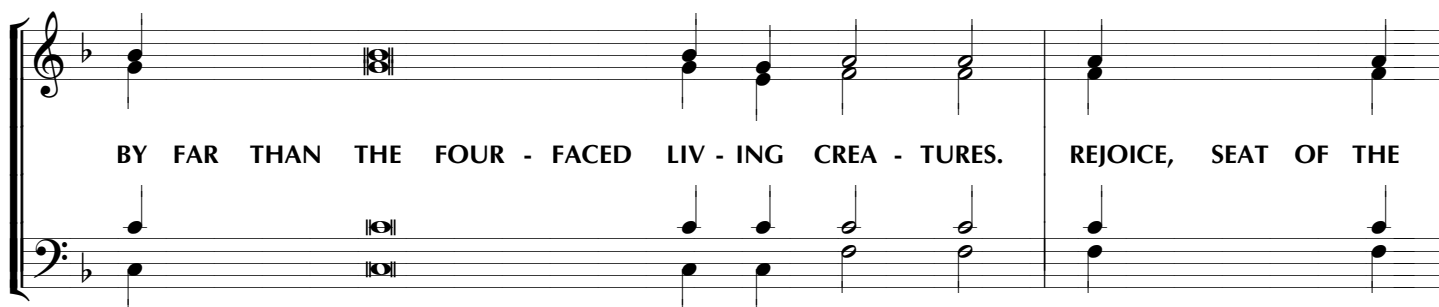
TER. THE CAPTAIN OF HEAVEN WAS SENT TO THE LIVING PAVILION OF GLO -



RY, TO MAKE REA - DY AN EVERLASTING DWELLING FOR THE MA - KER.



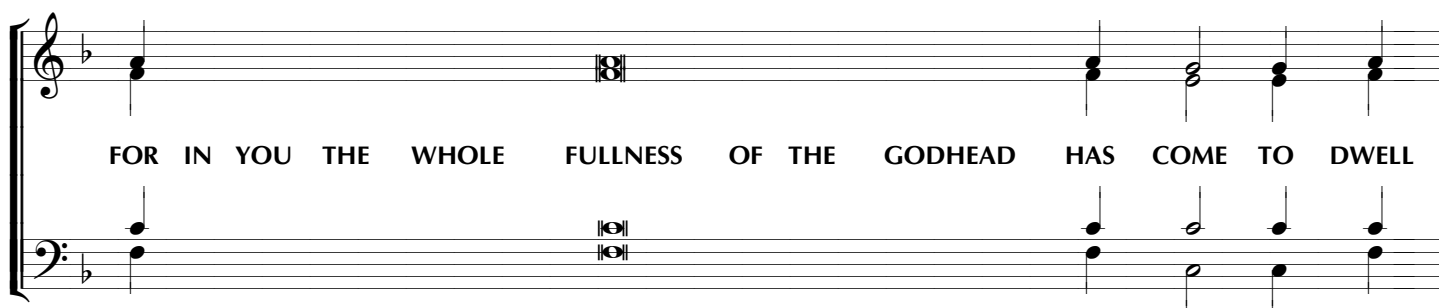
AND COM - ING BE - FORE HER HE CRIED: RE - JOICE, FIERY THRONE, MORE GLORIOUS



BY FAR THAN THE FOUR - FACED LIV - ING CREA - TURES. REJOICE, SEAT OF THE



KING OF HEA - VEN. RE - JOICE UNHEWN MOUNTAIN AND PRE - CIOUS VES - SEL.



FOR IN YOU THE WHOLE FULLNESS OF THE GODHEAD HAS COME TO DWELL

BOD - I - LY BY THE GOOD PLEA - SURE OF THE EV - ER - LAST - ING FA - THER,

AND THE JOINT WORKING OF THE HO - LY SPIR - IT. RE - JOICE, FULL OF

GRACE, THE LORD IS WITH YOU.

WHEN THE FEAST FALLS ON SATURDAY OR SUNDAY

Glory, in the 8th tone: Glory to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. *(Choir sings: "Let the Heavens be glad...")*

Now and ever in the 2nd tone: Now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen. *(Choir sings: "Gabriel today announces...")*

WHEN THE FEAST FALLS ON MONDAY THRU FRIDAY

Glory, now and ever in the 2nd tone: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen. *(Choir sings "Gabriel today announces...")*

Tone 8

LET THE HEA - VENS BE GLAD AND THE EARTH RE - JOICE: FOR THE SON WHO IS

CO - ETERNAL WITH THE FA - THER, SHARING HIS THRONE AND LIKE HIM

WITH - OUT BE - GIN - ING IN HIS COMPASSION AND MERCIFUL LOVE FOR MAN -

KIND HAS SUBMITTED HIMSELF TO EMP - TY - ING, ACCORDING TO THE GOOD

PLEASURE AND THE COUN - SEL OF THE FA - THER; AND HE HAS GONE TO DWELL

IN A VIR - GIN'S WOMB THAT WAS SANCTIFIED BEFOREHAND BY THE SPIR - IT.

O MAR - VEL! GOD IS COME A - MONG MEN; HE WHO CANNOT BE CONTAINED IS

CON - TAINED IN A WOMB; THE TIMELESS ENTERS TIME; AND STRANGE WON - DER.

HIS CONCEPTION IS WITHOUT SEED, HIS EMP - TY - ING IS PAST TELL - ING:

SO GREAT IS THIS MYS - TER - Y! FOR GOD EMPTIES HIMSELF, TAKES FLESH,

AND IS FASHIONED AS A CREA - TURE WHEN THE ANGEL TELLS THE PURE VIR -

GIN OF HER CON - CEP - TION REJOICE, YOU WHO ARE FULL OF GRACE; THE

LORD WHO HAS GREAT MER - CY IS WITH YOU.

Tone 2

GABRIEL TODAY ANNOUNCES THE GOOD TID - INGS TO HER WHO IS FULL OF GRACE

RE - JOICE, UNWEDDED MAIDEN WHO HAS NOT KNOWN MAR - RIAGE. BE NOT STRUCK

WITH DISMAY BY MY STRANGE FORM, NOR BE A - FRAID; I AM AN ARCH - AN - GEL.

ONCE THE SER - PENT BE - GUILED EVE, BUT NOW I ANNOUNCE TO YOU THE

GOOD TID - INGS OF JOY: YOU SHALL REMAIN PURE AND YET SHALL BEAR

THE LORD.

Aposticha

Tone 4

IN THE SIXTH MONTH THE ARCHANGEL WAS SENT TO THE PURE VIR - GIN

AND WITH THIS GREET - ING "RE - JOICE". HE BROUGHT GOOD TID - INGS,

THAT THE DELIVERER WOULD COME FORTH FROM HER. AND SO, AC - CEPT -

ING THIS SAL - U - TA - TION WITH FAITH, SHE CONCEIVED THEE, THE

PRE - E - TER - NAL GOD WHO WAS PLEASED TO BECOME MAN IN - EF - FA -

BLY FOR THE SAL - VA - TION OF OUR SOULS.

READER: Tell forth from day to day the glad tidings of the salvation of our God.

THE THEOTOKOS HEARD A VOICE SHE KNEW NOT WHEN THE ARCHANGEL

BROUGHT HER THE GLAD TIDINGS OF THE AN - NUN - CI - A - TION AND AC - CEPT -

ING THE SAL - U - TA - TION WITH FAITH, SHE CONCEIVED THEE, THE PRE -

E - TER - NAL GOD THERE - FORE WITH GREAT RE - JOIC - ING WE

AL - SO CRY UN - TO THEE: O GOD, WHO WITHOUT CHANGE HAS BEEN MADE

FLESH FROM HER GRANT PEACE UNTO THE WORLD AND TO OUR SOULS

GREAT MER - CY.

READER: Sing unto the Lord a new song: sing unto the Lord, all the earth.

OUR RESTORATION IS NOW MADE MAN - I - FEST TO US: GOD IS INEFFABLY

U - NI - TED TO MEN. AT THE WORDS OF THE ARCHANGEL ERROR IS LAID LOW;

FOR THE VIRGIN RE-CIEVES JOY, AND THE THINGS OF THE EARTH HAVE BE-COME

HEA - VEN. THE WORLD IS LOOSENED FROM THE AN - CIENT CURSE.

LET THE CREATION REJOICE EXCEEDINGLY AND RAISE ITS VOICE TO SING:

O LORD, OUR MAKER AND DE - LIV - ER - ER, GLO - RY TO THEE.

READER: Glory, now and ever in the same tone: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

TODAY WE HAVE GLAD TID - INGS OF JOY: IT IS THE FEAST OF THE VIR - GIN.

THINGS BE-LOW ARE JOINED TO THINGS A-BOVE. ADAM IS RENEWED AND EVE SET

FREE FROM HER ANCIENT SOR - ROW; AND THE TABERNACLE OF HUMAN NATURE

WHICH THE LORD TOOK UP - ON HIM SELF, MAKING DIVINE THE SUB -

STANCE HE AS - SUMED, IS CONSECRATED AS A TEM - PLE OF GOD.

O MYS - TER - Y! THE MANNER OF HIS EMP - TY - ING IS UN - KNOWN,

THE FASHION OF HIS CONCEIVING IS IN - EF - FA - BLE. AN AN - GEL MIN -

I - STERS AT THE WON - DER; A VIRGIN WOMB RE - CEIVES THE SON.

THE HO - LY SPIR - IT IS SENT DOWN; THE FATHER ON HIGH GIVES HIS CON - SENT;

AND SO THE COVENANT IS BROUGHT TO PASS BY COMMON COUN - SEL.

IN HIM AND THROUGH HIM WE ARE SAVED, AND TOGETHER WITH GABRIEL LET

US CRY A - LOUD TO THE VIR - GIN: RE - JOICE, YOU WHO

ARE FULL OF GRACE: THE LORD IS WITH YOU FROM YOU HAS CHRIST OUR

GOD AND OUR SALVATION TAKEN HU - MAN NA - TURE, RAIS - ING

IT UP UN - TO HIM - SELF. PRAY TO HIM THAT OUR SOULS MAY BE SAVED.

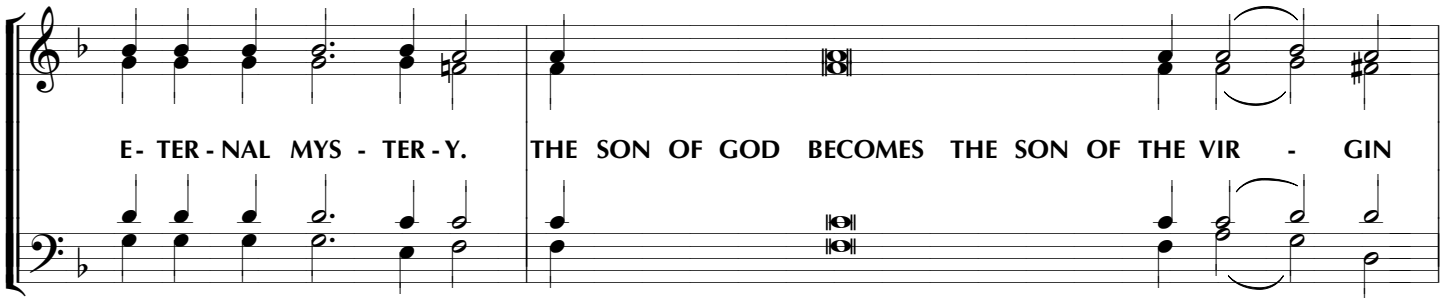
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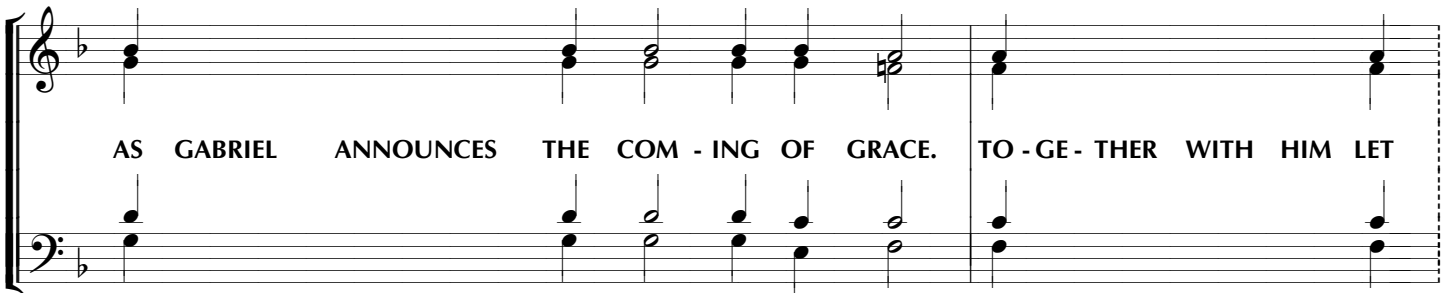
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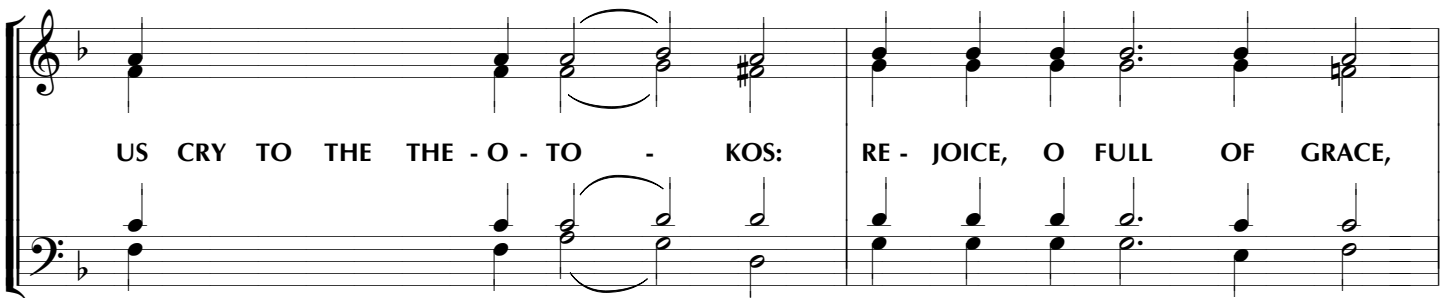
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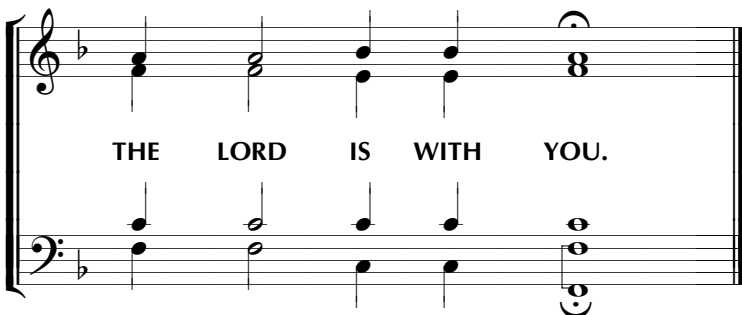
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