

First Canon

9a

Μεγάλυνον... Μυστήριον ξένον



Mag - ni - fy, O my soul, her that is more hon - 'ra -



ble and more glo - ri - ous than the hosts on_ high.



A strange and mar - vel - lous mys - ter - y do I be - hold; the



cave is a Heav - en; the Vir - gin a che - ru - bic_ throne; the



man - ger a space where - in Christ_ God the Un - con -



tain - a - ble One_ hath re - clined. Him do we praise and



mag - ni - - - fy.

Second Canon

9b

Μεγάλυνον, ψυχή μου



Mag - ni - fy, O my soul, her that hath de - liv -



ered us from the curse.

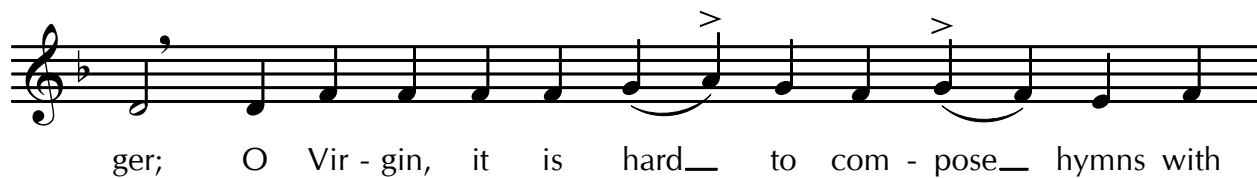
Στέργειν μὲν ἡμᾶς



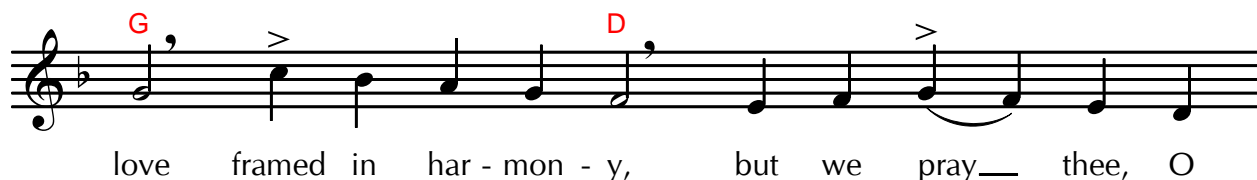
Be - ing well con - tent, out of fear, to be si -



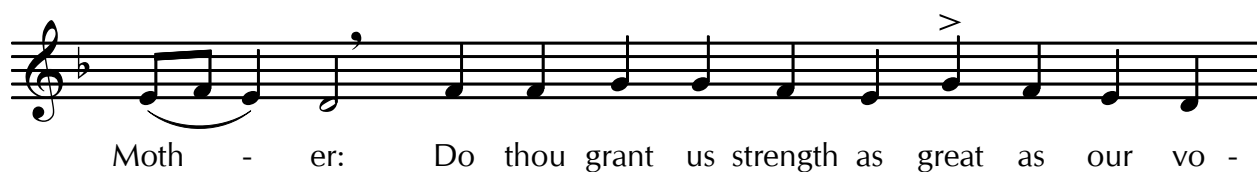
lent would be eas - i - er, since si - lence hath no dan -



ger; O Vir - gin, it is hard to com - pose hymns with



love framed in har - mon - y, but we pray thee, O



Moth - er: Do thou grant us strength as great as our vo -

li - - - tion.

The image shows a single line of musical notation on a five-line staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody consists of the following notes: a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. A slur covers the first three notes (G, A, Bb), and another slur covers the last four notes (C, Bb, A, G). The lyrics 'li - - - tion.' are written below the staff, with a horizontal line extending from the end of the word.

Ninth Ode

First Mode

Ἦχος ᾠ̣ Πά

Ϡ̣ 150

Intonation: #1


Verse #1

Μεγάλυνον, ψυχή μου,
τὴν τιμιωτέραν

M ^(Π) ag - ni - - fy, O my soul, her that is more hon - 'ra - ble and more
glo - ri - - ous than the hosts on__high. π
q

Troparion A

Μυστήριον ξένον

 ^(Π) strange and mar - vel - lous mys - ter - y do I be - hold; π
q the
cave is a Heav - en; the Vir - gin a che - ru - bic__throne; π
q the man - -
^(M)
ger a space where - in π
q Christ__ God thē Un - con - tain - a - ble One__hath re -
clined. π
q *(repeat Verse #1 and Troparion A above)*

Second (Iambic) Canon

M ^(□) ag - ni - - fy, O my soul, her that hath de - liv - - ered us from
 the curse. ^π ϩ



Troparion E

Στέργειν μὲν ἡμῶς

B ^(□) e - ing well con - tent, ___ out of fear, to be si - - lent ^Δ would
 be eas - i - er, since si - lence hath no dan - ger; ^π ϩ O Vir - gin, it
 is hard to com - pose ___ hymns with love ^(Δ) framed in har - mon - y, but we pray_ ^(□)
 ___ thee, O Moth - - er: ^π ϩ Do thou grant us strength as great as our vo - li - -
 tion. ^(With final ending.) ^π ϩ