

November 25th

Great-martyr Katherine the all-wise of Alexandria

Stichera at the Praises

Byzantine Tone 2

Special Melody: *With what fair crowns*

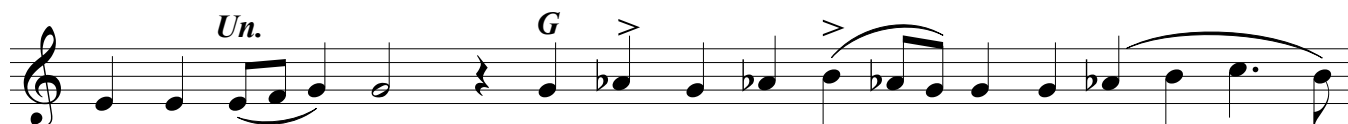
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1) With ___ what fair ___ crown of praise ___ shall ___
2) *With ___ what fair ___ praise as with ___ frā - - -*
3) With ___ what sweet words of high ___ hym - - -



we ___ crown and a - dorn ___ thee, O ___ glo - - -
- grant ___ flow'rs shall we deck ___ the ___ great ___ prize - - -
- no - - - dy shall we hon - or ___ the ___ Queen ___



-ri - ous Kath - 'rine? Who didst wise - ly hate ___ all the things ___
-win - ner Kath - 'rine? for she hath con - vict - ed thē im - - -
with our prais - es, laud - ing all - wise Kath - 'rine in song ___



of ___ earth, em-brac-ing things ___ nev - er per - - -
- pi - - - ous and trod all er - - - ror be - neath ___
to - - - day, the Vir - gin Mar - tyr re - plete ___



- ish - - - ing; who free - ly didst die for ___ Christ ___
her ___ feet; who dwell - eth in Heav - en's ___ bri - - -
with ___ grace? that val - iant de - stroy - er ___ of ___



the Sav - ior; who art ___ the re - splen-dent bride ___ of
- dal cham - bers and leap - eth for joy and danc - eth
de - lu - sion, who struck ___ down all the phi - los - o -

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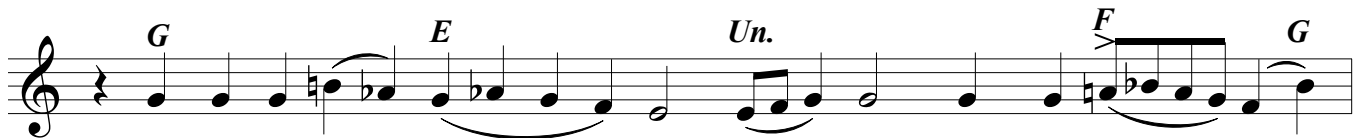
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our great King and God, who shin - est
in di - vine de - light, con - fess - ing
- phers with won - der - ment and shat - tered



with light - ning splen - dor through - out all the world;
the Ho - ly Trin - i - ty as Cause of all
the vaunt - ing bold - ness of Max - en - ti - us,



the ho - ly dove, pure and spot - less, who hast been re -
with the di - vine hosts of An - gels; by her mē - di -
and in the midst of the law - less, nerved with stead - fast



- ceived now in the bril - liant bri - dal cham - bers
- a - tions grant Thy peace and mer - cy, O Christ,
cour - age, preached of Christ be - fore the whole world



of Heav - en by Christ our God, Who
to us who now hon - or her with
as man whol - ly free of sin, and



grant - eth Great Mer - cy to the world.
long - ing and pi - ous rev - er - ence.
God Who was ere ē - ter - ni - ty.