

December 21st

Virgin-Martyr Juliana of Nicomedia

Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"

Byzantine Mode 4
Special Melody: *As one valiant*

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E Un.

1) With the dye of thy ho - ly blood, thou didst dye for thy -

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- self the fair gar - ment of sal - va - tion, O

maid - en all - ac - claimed; and made to shine in the

spir - it, — thou wast wed - ded un - to the Lord,

e - ven thē Im - mor - tal King, Who pre - serv - eth thee

un - cor - rupt and with - out re - proach to thē ag - es of

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ag - es in ce - les - tial bri - dal cham - bers as a

E

vir - gin with - out de - file - ment and beau - ti - ful.

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2) See-ing pun - ish - ments full of pain, draw - ing nigh to the

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rag - ing fire, val - iant - ly en - dur - ing the



rend - ings of thy flesh, and no - bly suf - fring the



caul - drons red and seeth - ing with fear - ful heat,



thou wast not sub - dued in mind, thou didst not wor - ship



grav - en things, but didst bow thy neck un - to God when be -

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- head - ed by the sword; and be - ing crowned, O Ju - li -

E



- an - a, un - to the Heav - ens didst thou as - cend.

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3) O prize - win - ner most glo - ri - ous, to thy Bride-groom didst

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thou pre - sent, as thy cost - ly dow - ry, a



ho - ly mul - ti - tude, which came to faith through the



mir - a - cles that thou _____ didst per - form by faith,



when they saw thee o - ver - come bit - ter pun - ish - ments,



tor - ture racks, and the flam - ing wheel, through Christ God, _____ Who with

G



de - i - fy - ing pow - er gave thee vic - to - ry from

E



Heav - en, O Ju - li - an - a, thou vir - gin Saint.