

Lord I have cried

Presentation Afterfeast

Tone 1

Kievan

Say, — O Simeon, Whom carriest thou in the Tem - ple

The first line of the hymn is written on a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody is primarily in the treble clef, with some accompaniment in the bass clef. The lyrics are: "Say, — O Simeon, Whom carriest thou in the Tem - ple".

in thine arms with re - joic - - - ing?

The second line of the hymn continues the melody. The lyrics are: "in thine arms with re - joic - - - ing?".

Towards Whom dost thou cry, shout - ing,

The third line of the hymn continues the melody. The lyrics are: "Towards Whom dost thou cry, shout - ing,".

Now I have been let to de - part,

The fourth line of the hymn concludes the melody. The lyrics are: "Now I have been let to de - part,".

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for I have be - held my Sav - ior.

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This is He born of the Vir - - - gin.

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This is the Word, God of God, //

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Who was in - car - nate for our sakes, _

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and saved man. Him let us wor - - - ship.

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Re - cieve, O Simeon, Him Whom Moses fore - saw on

Si - nai below the clouds lay - ing down the law,

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be - com - ing a child, and o - bey - ing the law.

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He it is Who wast symbolized by the Proph - ets, //

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Who hath become in - car - nate for our sakes

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and saved man. Him let us wor - - ship.

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Come, let us also welcome Christ and re - ceive Him

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with div - ine songs of praise, Whose sal - va -

tion Simeon saw, of Whom Da - vid speak - eth.

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He it is Who spake through the Proph - ets,/'

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Who is in - car - nate for our sakes, —

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and speaketh in the law. Him let us wor - ship.

Glory to the Father...

Tone 5

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22

Search the books, as Christ our God said in the Gos - pels,

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for there we shall see Him born and wrapped in

swad - dling clothes, a suck-ling babe feed - ing on — milk,

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ac - cept - ing circumcision, borne in the arms of Sim - e - on,

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and ap - pear - ing to the world,

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not in fan - cy or im - a - gin - a - tion, but in truth.

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There-fore, let us shout to Him, say - ing://

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O God before e - ter - ni - ty, glo - ry to Thee.

Aposticha

Glory...now and ever...

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The An - cient of Days, a young child in the flesh,

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was brought to the Temple by His Mo - ther the Vir - gin,

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ful - fill - ing the ordinance of His own Law.

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Re - ceiv - ing Him, Sim - e - on said:

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Now lettest thou Thy ser - vant de - part in peace,

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ac - cord - - - ing to Thy word;/'

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for mine eyes have seen Thy sal - va - tion, O Lord.