

# Exapostilarion - "The Wise Thief"

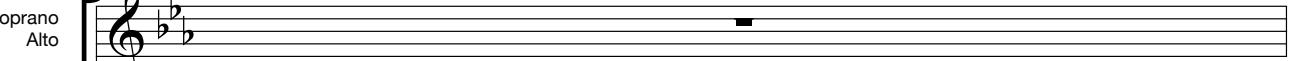
*Matins of Great and Holy Friday*

Kievan Chant

B. Ledkovsky (1894-1975)

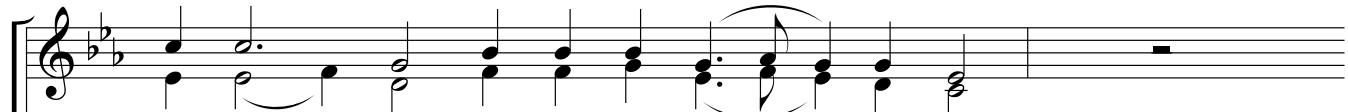
Soprano  
Alto

Broadly  $\text{♩} = 60$



The Wise\_\_\_\_ Thief, didst Thou make wor - thy of Par - - a - dise,

Tenor  
Bass



The Wise Thief, wor - thy of Par - - a - dise, in a sin - gle



mo - ment, a sin - gle mo - ment, O Lord, By the



wood\_\_\_\_ of Thy Cross, il - lu - - - mine me.



A musical score for two voices (Soprano and Bass) in G clef, B-flat key signature, and common time. The vocal parts are supported by a piano reduction. The lyrics are written below the notes.

The vocal parts begin with a series of eighth-note chords. The soprano part then enters with the lyrics "il - lu - mine me as well, and". The bass part follows with "mine me as well, and". The soprano continues with "il - lu - mine - me as well". The bass part concludes with "me!". Both voices end with a final note on the word "well".

Below the vocal parts, the piano reduction shows eighth-note chords corresponding to the vocal entries. The vocal parts are highlighted with black dots above the staff lines.

Lyrics:

il - lu - mine me as well, and  
mine me as well, and  
il - lu - mine - me as well  
save me!