

Holy Father Nicholas

Carpatho-Russian Carol

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for Soprano and Alto voices, and the bottom staff is for Tenor and Bass voices. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one flat. The vocal parts enter at different times, creating a layered effect. The lyrics for the first stanza are:

1. O, who loves Nich - o - las the saint - ly, O, who serves
2. O who dwells in God's ho - ly man - sions, is our help
3. Ho - ly Saint heark - en to our prayer, Let not life

The musical score continues with two staves. The top staff continues the melody from the previous section, while the bottom staff begins a new harmonic progression. The lyrics for the second stanza are:

1. Nich - o - las the saint - ly, Him will Nich - o - las re - ceive
2. on the land and o - ceans, He will guard us from all ills
3. drive us to de - spair. All our ef - forts shall not wane

The musical score concludes with two staves. The top staff continues the melody, and the bottom staff provides harmonic support. The lyrics for the third stanza are:

1. and give help in time of need,
2. keep us pure and free from sin, Ho - ly Fath - er Nich - o - las.
3. sing - ing prais - es to your name,