

Pre-Festal Theotokion at "Lord, I Call"

St. Nicholas the Wonderworker, Archbishop of Myra in Lycia - December 6

vs. Now, and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Valaam Monastery Melody

Model: "Having placed all their hope"

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Tone 6

Soprano
Alto

O cave, — make read - y, for the Ewe Lamb comes,

Tenor
Bass

bear - ing Christ in her womb! — O man - ger, re - ceive —

Him — Who by a word has released the dwellers of

earth — from law - less - ness! You shep - herds, abiding in the

[the fields,]

fields, bear witness to the fear-ful won - der! You ma - gi from

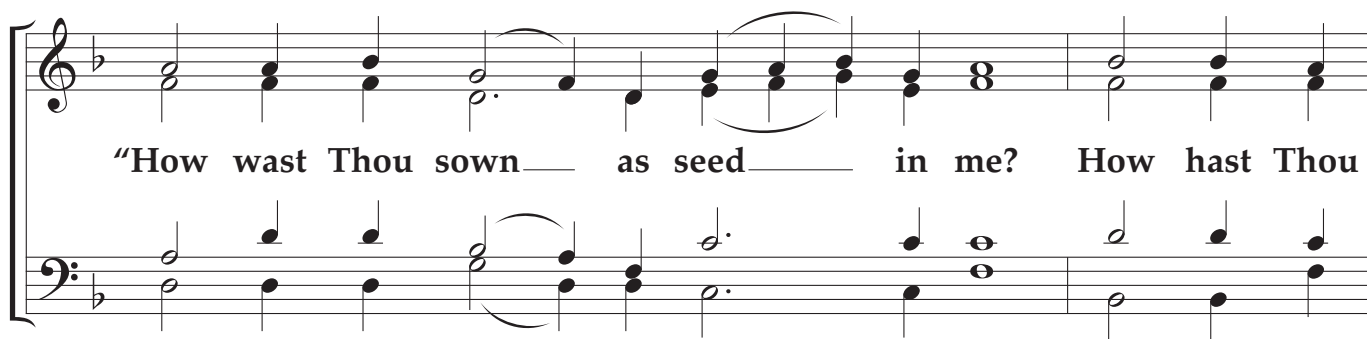
Persia, offer to the King gold, myrrh and frank - in - cense,

for the Lord has ap - peared from a Vir - gin Moth - er!

And she, bend - ing over Him as a hand - maid - en,

wor-shipped Him as He lay in her arms, - say - ing to Him: -

[“How wast Thou sown . . . ”]



"How wast Thou sown as seed in me? How hast Thou



grown with-in me, // my De-liv-er-er and my God?"