

# Nativity of Christ

## Troparion ~ Tone Four

*Carpatho-Russian Chant*

Thy Na - ti - vi - ty, O Christ our God, hath shone to

The first line of musical notation for the troparion. It consists of a treble and bass staff in G major (one sharp). The melody is written in a style characteristic of Carpatho-Russian chant, with a mix of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: "Thy Na - ti - vi - ty, O Christ our God, hath shone to".

the world the light of wis - dom, for by it, those who

The second line of musical notation. The melody continues with a mix of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: "the world the light of wis - dom, for by it, those who".

wor - shipped the stars were taught by a star to wor - ship Thee,

The third line of musical notation. The melody continues with a mix of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: "wor - shipped the stars were taught by a star to wor - ship Thee,".

the Sun of Right - eous - ness, and to know Thee, the Day - spring

The fourth line of musical notation. The melody continues with a mix of eighth and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: "the Sun of Right - eous - ness, and to know Thee, the Day - spring".

from on high; O Lord, glo - ry to Thee.

The fifth and final line of musical notation. The melody concludes with a final cadence. The lyrics are: "from on high; O Lord, glo - ry to Thee.".