

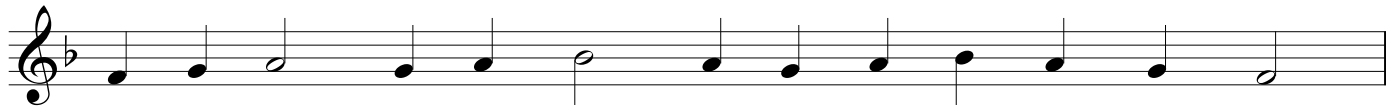
O Protection of Christians - Tone 6



Now and ev - er and un - to a - ges of a - ges. A - men.



O Pro - tec - tion of Chris - tians, our boast un - a - shamed,



med - i - ta - tion un - wear - ied be - fore our Mak - er's throne;



de - spise not the voic - es of us sin - ners raised in prayer,



but be kind and help us be - fore we know our need,



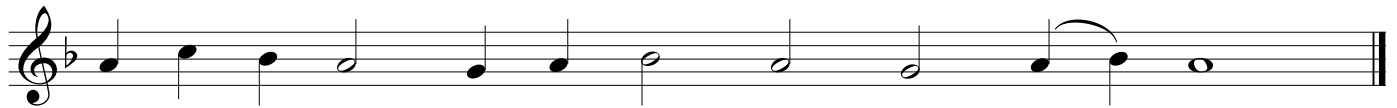
for with faith we cry a - loud to you: make haste to in - ter -



-cede for us, and speed to make en - treat - y:



for your pro - tec - tion nev - er fails,



O The - o - to - kos, for those who hon - or you.

Steadfast Protectress - Tone 6

(this is an alternate translation of 'O Protection of Christians')

Now and ev - er and un - to a - ges of a - ges. A - men.

Stead - fast Pro - tec - tress of Chris - tians

and con - stant ad - vo - cate be - fore the Cre - a - tor.

De - spise not the cry of us sin - ners,

but in your good - ness come speed - i - ly to

help us who call on you in faith.

Hast - en to hear our pe - ti - tion

and to in - ter - cede for us, O The - o - to - kos,

for you al - ways pro - tect those who hon - or you!

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come speed - i - ly