Steadfast Protectress

Tone 6 **Abbreviated "Bulgarian" Chant**

Soprano
Tenor
Alto
Bass

Both now and ev - er, and un - to a - ges of a - ges. A - men.

Stead - fast Pro - tec - tress of Chris - tians, Con - stant Ad - vo - cate be - fore

the Cre - a - tor; de - spise not the en - treat - ing cries of us sin - ners,

but in thy good - ness come speed - i - ly to help us who call on thee in faith.

Has - ten to hear our pe - ti - tion and to in - ter - cede for us, O The - o - to -

kos, for thou al - ways pro - tect those who hon - or thee!

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