



O LORD God of my salvation, I have cried day and night before thee: O let



my prayer enter into thy presence, incline thine ear un-to my calling.



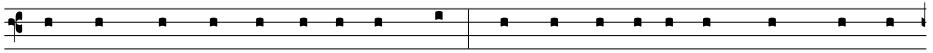
2. For my soul is full of trouble: and my life draweth nigh unto hell. 3. I am



counted as one of them that go down in-to the pit: and I have been ev-en



as a man that hath no strength. 4. Free among the dead, like un-to them



that are wounded, and lie in the grave: who are out of remembrance, and are



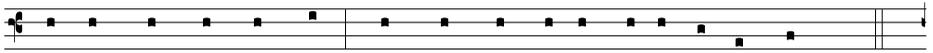
cut away from thy hand. 5. Thou hast laid me in the lowest pit: in a place



of darkness, and in the deep. 6. Thine in-digna-tion li-eth hard upon



me: and thou hast vexed me with all thy storms. 7. Thou hast put away mine



acquaintance far from me: and made me to be abhor-red of them.



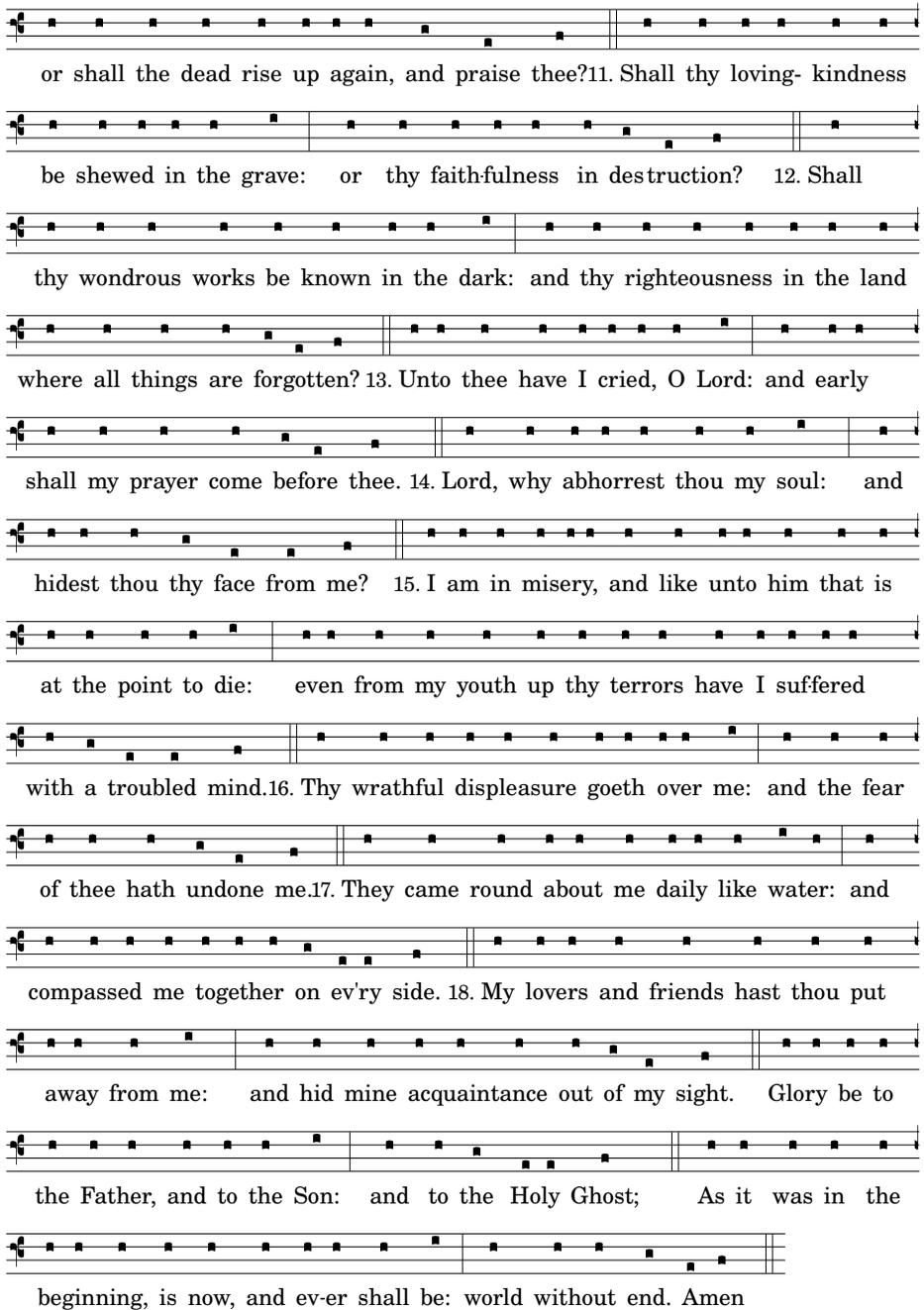
8. I am so fast in pris-on: that I cannot get forth. 9. My sight faileth for



very trouble: Lord, I have call-ed dai-ly up-on thee, I have stretched



forth my hands un-to thee. 10. Dost thou shew wonders among the dead:



or shall the dead rise up again, and praise thee? 11. Shall thy loving-kindness
be shewed in the grave: or thy faithfulness in destruction? 12. Shall
thy wondrous works be known in the dark: and thy righteousness in the land
where all things are forgotten? 13. Unto thee have I cried, O Lord: and early
shall my prayer come before thee. 14. Lord, why abhorrest thou my soul: and
hidest thou thy face from me? 15. I am in misery, and like unto him that is
at the point to die: even from my youth up thy terrors have I suffered
with a troubled mind. 16. Thy wrathful displeasure goeth over me: and the fear
of thee hath undone me. 17. They came round about me daily like water: and
compassed me together on ev'ry side. 18. My lovers and friends hast thou put
away from me: and hid mine acquaintance out of my sight. Glory be to
the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the
beginning, is now, and ev-er shall be: world without end. Amen