

## Apostichon 2. Mode pl. 1. *Pa=D. Rejoice.*

Diatonic



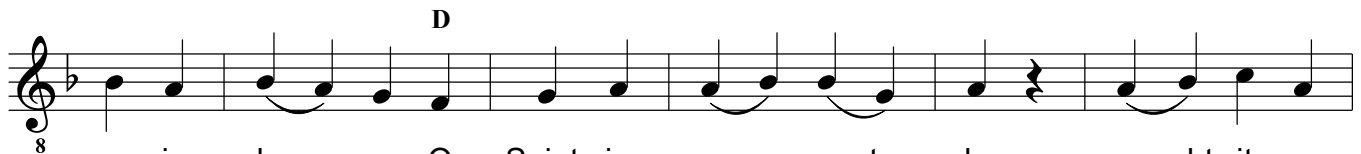
Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His ho - ly one.



Once love for God ex - cit - ed your soul, you longed for



still-ness in its ut - most and high-est form. And you, like a



man-ic lov - er, O Saint, in - ces - sant - ly sought it un-



- til you fi - nal - ly at - tained a place whol - ly des - o - late,



where you thor - ough - ly mor - ti - fied the sin - ful pas - sions,



and you broke all de - mon - ic traps by hu - mil - i - ty and as-



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