

The Nativity of the Lord: Vigil Mass

Gospel Acclamation

RESPONSE

A musical score for 'Al-le-lu-ia' in common time (indicated by a '4' over a '1'). The key signature is one sharp (F#). The melody is in soprano range. The lyrics are: 'R. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!' The notes correspond to the chords: Em, Bm, G, Am, D, G, D, G, C, Am, Bm, Em.

VERSICLE Psalm Tone: A

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The musical notation consists of a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody starts on E (Em), moves to A (Am), then D, and returns to E (Em). The lyrics are: "Tomorrow the wickedness of the earth will be destroyed: the Saviour of the world will be our king."

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