

MEMORIAL SERVICE CHANTS

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Ἦχος λ̣ π̣ ᾠ̣ Κε

1. **B** ^{KE} less- ^{ΔI} ed are You O Lord, teach_ ^{KE} me Your stat- ^{x q} utes.

T ^{ΔI} HĒ choir ^{KE} of the Saints has found thĕ ^{ΔI} foun- ^{KE} tain of Life and ^{ΔI} thĕ door ^{KE} of Pa- ^{x q} ra- ^{ΔI} dise. ^{KE} May I al- ^{x q} so find ^{ΔI} the way ^{KE} thru ^{ΔI} rĕ- ^{x q} pen- - tance ^γ I am thĕ sheep that is ^{KE} lost, ^{x q} O Sav- ^{ΔI} ior call ^{KE} me back and save me. ^{x q}

2. **B** ^{KE} less- ^{ΔI} ed are You O Lord ^{KE} teach_ me Your stat- utes. ^{xq}

O F old_ You crē- ā- ted me from noth- - ing and hon- ored
me with Your ^{ΔI} dī- ^{KE} vine im- age; ^{xq} but when I dis- ob- eyed Your com-
mand- ment O Lord, ^y You cast me down to thē earth from which_ I
was tāk- en. ^{KE} ^{xq} Lead me back ā- gain to Your like- ness, and rē- store my
ō- ri- gin- al beau- ty. ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{xq}

3. **B** ^{KE} less- ^{ΔI} ed are You O Lord ^{KE} teach_ me Your stat- utes. ^{xq}

I am an im- - age of your in- ef- a- ble glo- - ry ^y
thō I bear the scars of my trans- gress- ions. ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{xq} On Your crē- ā- tion
Mas- ter take pī- - ty and cleanse me by Your com- pass- ion. ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{xq} Grant_

me the home-land for which I long, and once a-gain make

me a cit-i-zen of Pa-ra-dise.

4. **B**less-ed are You O Lord teach me Your stat-utes.

GIVE rest O God to Your ser-vants* and place them in

Pa-ra-ise, where the choirs of the Saints and the right-eous

will shine as the stars of hea-ven. To Your de-part-ed ser-

vants give rest O Lord, and for-give all their of-fen-ses.

5. **G**lo-ry to the Fath-er and the Son, and the Ho-ly Spi-rit.

* NOTE: The words in red change depending on the gender or number of person(s) being commemorated. It could be singular or plural, His, Her, or Their. Check with the bulletin or Cantor to ascertain.

THE three- fold rād- i- ance of thĕ one_ God ^γ let us praise and let
 us shout in song, ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{xq} Ho- ly You are ^{xq} ē- ter- nal Fath- er cō- ē- ter-
 nal Son and dī- vine Spi- rit. ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{xq} Il- lu- mine us who wor- ship You
 in faith, ^{KE} ^{xq} and dē- liv- er us from thĕ ē- ter- nal fire. ^{MEΛ} ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{xq}

6. Both now and_ ev- - er and to thĕ ā- - ges of ā-
 ges. A- men. ^{KE} ^{xq}

RE- joice grā- cious La- - dy who for thĕ sal- va- - tion of
 all gave birth to God in the flesh, ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{ΔI} ^{KE} ^{xq} and thru whom thĕ hu- man race has

found sal- va- - tion thru you pure and bless- ed The- o-

to- kos may we find Pa- - ra- dise.

7. **A** L- le- lu- i- a. Al- le- lu- i a. Al- le- lu- - i-

a. Glo- - - ry to You O God.

8. **A** L- le- lu- i- a. Al- le- lu- i a. Al- le- lu- - i-

a. Glo- - - ry to You O God.

9. **A** L- le- lu- i- a. Al- le- lu- i- a. Al- le- lu- i

- a. Glo- ry to You O God_ _ _ .

Kontakion

M Ε τα α των α γι ων α να παυ σον χρι ι ι

 στε τας ψυ χας των δου ου ου ου λων σου ε ε ε

 εν θα ουκ ε ςι ι πο ο ο νος ς λυ υ υ υ υ

 πη η ς σε ε να α α μος αλ λα ζω η η η η

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Troparia

Ἦχος ΒϚ

1.

A - mong the spi- rits of the right- - eous per- fect- - ed

in faith, give rest O Sav- ior to the souls_ of Your ser- vants.

Be-^{ПА} stow up- on ^{π ρ} them the^{БѸ} bless- ed life which is from You_

O_ ^{ПА} lov- ^{БѸ} ing Lord. ^{6 λ}

2. **W** ^{ПА} ITH- ^{БѸ} in Your peace O Lord where all Your Saints rē- ^{Δ ρ} pose,

give rest_ ^ρ al- so to the ^{ПА} ^{БѸ} souls_ of Your ser- ^{6 λ} vants, for You ā-

lone are im- ^{ПА} mor- ^{БѸ} tal. ^{6 λ}

3. **G** ^{БѸ} lo- ^{ПА} ry to the Fath- ^{БѸ} er and the Son, and the Ho- ^{ПА} ly Spi-

^{БѸ} rit. ^{6 λ}

YOU are our God_ who dē- scend- ed in- to Hā- des and

loos- ened the pains of those who were bound; **6 λ** grant rest

al- so O Sav- ior to the **souls_** of Your ser- vants. **6 λ**

4. Both now and ev- er and to the ā- - ges of ā- ges. A-
men. **6 λ**

MOST pure and spot- less Vir- gin, who in- ef- ab- ly gave birth
to God, **6 λ** in- ter- cede with_ Him **π ρ** for the sal- va- tion **Δ** of
thē **souls_** of your ser- vants_ _ _ . **6 λ**

Ἦχος γ'. Γα

Α | ω | νι | α | η | μνη | η | η | μη. | Αι | ω | νι | α | η | μνη

η | η | μη. | Αι | ω | νι | α | ΑΥ | τω | ων¹ | η | μνη | μη.

V- | er- | last- | ing | be | their | mem- | - | ə- | ry. | Ev- | er- | last- | ing | be

their | mem- | - | ə- | ry. | Ev- | er- | last- | ing | be_ | their | mem' | ry.

Final Ending

 be_ | their | mem' ry_ _ _ _ .

¹ 1 man = Αὐτοῦ, 1 woman = Αὐτῆς, plural = Αὐτῶν.