

CREATOR ALME SIDERUM • *Gregorian Chant for Advent*

Hymn IV

The Celebrant *The Choir*

C Re-átor álme síderum, Ætér-
na lux credénti-um, Jésu, Redémptor
ómni-um, Inténde vó-tis súpplicum.

2. Qui daémonis ne fráudibus Per-í-ret
órbis, ímpe-tu Amó-ris áctus, lán-
guidi Múndi medé-la fáctus es. 3. Com-
múne qui múndi né-fas Ut expi-áres, ad crúcem E Vír-
ginis sacrá-ri-o Intácta pródis víctima. 4. Cújus po-té-
stas gló-ri-ae, Noménque cum prímum sónat, Et caéli-tes
et ínfe-ri Treménte curvántur génu. 5. Te deprecámur,

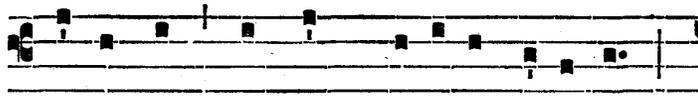
1. Dear Maker of the starry skies! light of believers evermore! Jesu, Redeemer of mankind! be near us who Thine aid implore.

2. When man was sunk in sin and death, lost in the depth of Satan's snare, love brought Thee down to cure our ills, by taking of those ills a share.

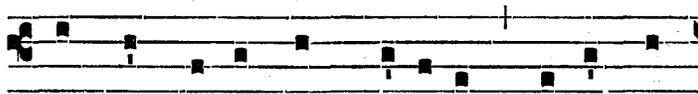
3. Thou for the sake of guilty men permitting Thy pure blood to flow, didst issue from Thy Virgin shrine and to the Cross a Victim go.

4. So great the glory of Thy might, if we but chance Thy name to sound, at once all Heaven and Hell unite in bending low with awe profound.

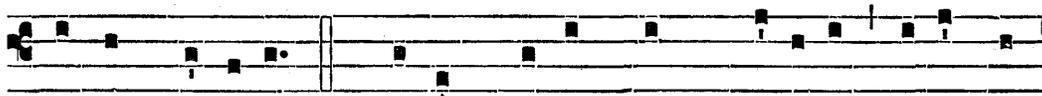
5. Great Judge of all! in that last day, when friends shall fail, and foes combine, be pre-



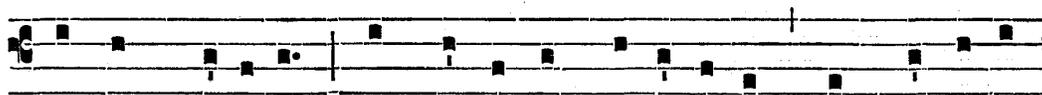
últimae Mágnum di-é-i Júdi-cem,



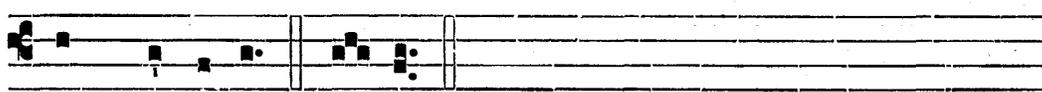
Armis supérnae grá-ti-ae De-fénde



nos ab hóstibus. 6. Vír-tus, hó-nor, laus, gló-ri-a Dé-o Pá-



tri cum Fí-li-o, Sán-cto simul Pa-rácli-to, In saecu-ló-



rum saécu-la. Amen.

sent then with us, we pray, to guard us with Thy arm divine.

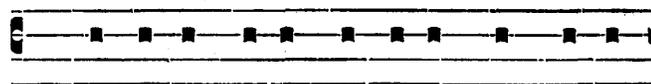
6. To God the Father with the Son and Holy Spirit, One and Three, be honour, glory, blessing, praise, all through the long eternity.

Amen.

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V. Ro-rá-te caéli dé-super, et núbes
R. Ape-ri- átur térra, et gérmí-net



plú- ant jústum.
Salva- tó-rem.

V. Heavens, drop down from above, and let the clouds rain down the Just One.

R. Let the earth open and bud forth the Saviour.