

TROPARION OF KASSIANI

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Andante

Glory to the Father and to the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen. The woman who had fallen into many sins perceiving your divinity, O Lord, as sumes the role of myrrh-bearer and lamenting she brings the myrrh before your

23

bu - ri - al. "Woe to me," she said, "for me, night is an ec - sta-

29

- sy of ex - cess, dark and moon - less, full of sin - ful de - sire. Re - ceive the

35

a tempo

sour - ces of my tears, you who ga - ther in - to clouds the wa - ters of the sea. In-

42

- cline to the groa - nings of my heart, you who in your in - ef - fa - ble

48

piu mosso

con-de - scen-sion bowed down the hea - vens. I will em - brace and kiss your

53

a tempo

sa - cred feet and wipe them a - gain with the tres-ses of the hair of my head, the

59

mf

pp poco a poco cres.

feet at whose sound, Eve hid her-self in fear, foot-steps at whose sound
(hum)

65

f

Eve was hid - ing in fear, foot-steps at whose sound Eve was hid - ing in fear,

71

dolce

ff when she heard you walk - ing in Pa-ra-dise in twi-light. O my
(words) (hum)

77

legato
who can ev - er
Sa - vior and the One who saves my soul, *rall.* *p* who can
(words)

83

track
mf *p* e-ver track down the mul-ti-tude of my sins and the depths of your judg-
(hum)

89

mf - ment? Do not dis-re - gard me, your ser-vant, You, whose mer - cy is bound - less."
(words)