

Psalm 97: A Light Will Shine

The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas): Mass at Dawn

Psalm 97:1, 6, 11-12

Michael Joncas
Tone 1 Hymn of Praise
to YHWH as King

With confidence ♩ = 80
Antiphon

Harmony

Melody

A light will shine on us this day: the Lord is born for us.

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G C G D F Am7 DSUS4 G

Verse 1

1. The LORD is king, let earth re-joice; the many is-lands be glad.

G Am7 Em Am D7 G D

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The skies pro-claim his jus - tice; all peo - ples see his

D7 G C A D D7 Em D G

18 Verse 2

2. Light shines forth for the just one, and joy for the up-right of heart. Re -

G Am7 G Em Em D7 G D D7

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joice in the LORD, all you ju to the mem' - ry of his ho - li-ness give thanks. _____

G C A D D7 Em D G D

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