

**KONTAKION OF THE FOREFEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF THE THEOTOKOS  
ON THIS DAY THE VIRGIN AND THEOTOKOS, MARY**

September 7

Third Tone

S. Takis

**Moderato**

On this day the Vir - gin maid and The - o - to - kos,  
Mar - y, the pro - tect - ing cham - ber of  
the good and heav - en - ly Bride - groom, now is born  
from the bar - ren wo - man by means of God's  
will, a char - i - ot for God the Word to be made read -  
y, for this was or - dained be - fore - hand, the one Div - ine  
Gate, the Moth - er of the True Life.