

**APOLYTIKION OF THE EVE OF THE NATIVITY OF CHRIST
HAVING BEEN FROM DAVID'S SEED**

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Fourth Tone (Hard Chromatic)

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Moderato

Hav-ing been from Da-vid's seed, Jo-seph and Mar-y were re-
- called to the town of Beth-le-hem, where for the cen-sus they en-rolled.
As she was seed-less-ly with child, they sought the inn for lodg-
- ings, but since the inn was full, there was a cave they might use, the
cave that proved to be a most be - fit - ting place, a love-ly
pal-ace of de - light for her the most pure La-dy and
Queen of all. For Christ is born now, to raise the
Im - age that had fal - len be - fore - hand.