## **O** glorious King of Martyr hosts







O glorious King of martyr hosts, Thou crown that each confessor boasts, Who leadest to celestial day The saints who cast earth's joys away;

Thine ear in mercy, Savior, lend, While unto Thee our prayers ascend; And as we count their triumphs won, Forgive the sins that we have done.

Martyrs in Thee their triumph gain, Confessors grace from Thee obtain; We sinners humbly seek to Thee, From sin's offense to set us free.

All laud to God the Father be, All praise, eternal Son, to Thee; All glory, as is ever meet, To God the holy Paraclete.

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