

The National Anthem of Greece

By the Request of King George I of Greece, Adopted in 1863

Poem by Dionysios Solomos, 1824

Music by Nicholas Mantzaros

1795-1873

Maestoso

Se ghno-ri - z'a-po tin ko-psi, tou spa-thiou tin tro-me-ri, se ghno-ri - z'a-po tin
Σε γνω-ρί - ξ'α-πό την κό-ψη, του ρπα-θιού την τρο-με-ρή, σε γνω-ρί - ζ'α-πό την

Optional piano acc.

o - psi, pou me via me-trai tin ghi. Ap' ta ko- ka- la vghal-me - ni, ton El -
ό - ψη, που με βία με-τράει την γη. Απ' τα κό- κα-λα βγαλ-μέ - νη, των Ελ-

li - non ta ie-ra, ke san pro-t'an-dhri-o-me-ni, he-r'o he - re, E-lef-the-ria, ke san
λή- νων τα ιε-ρά, και σαν πρώ-τ'αν-δρει-ω-μέ - νη, χαι-ρ'ω χαι - ρε, Ε-λευ-θε-ριά, και σαν

pro - t'an dhri-o-me - ni, he-r'o he - r'E-lef-the-ria, ke san ria!
πρώ - τ'αν-δρει-ω-μέ - νη, χαι-ρ'ω χαι - ρ'Ε-λευ-θε-ριά, και σαν ριά!

*I recognize you by the dreadful edge of your sword. I recognize your face forcibly staring at the land.
From the sacred graves of the slain Greeks you rise, valiant again. Hail, O hail, Liberty!*

This arrangement by Stan Takis and Christopher Takis, based on a version from the Greek Embassy in Washington, D. C.