

Sticheron 2

8 Blessed are those whom You choose and help, O Lord. Will-ing-

8 ly You un-der-went life - giv-ing death, as our Sav-ior, and be - came the

8 well of life, and to the be - liev-ers gave e - ter - nal de - light,

8 all by Your most di-vine ten-der-love, O Mas - ter, on - ly

8 sin - less and com - pas-sion-ate. We now en - treat You for

8 those who have re - posed in the faith and hope of res-ur - rec-tion, to for-

8 give all their sins and place them in Your de-light; thus in ev-ery

8 man - ner Your name might be ex - tolled, O Christ our God, and

8 be-ing saved we might glo - ri - fy Your love for hu - man - i-

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