

Vespers Idiomelon III.

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From the morning watch until night; from the morning watch until night,

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let Is - ra - el hope in the Lord.

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Why do the im - pi - ous and un - law - - ful peo - ple

med - i - tate on vain things? Why did they con - - demn to

death the One who is the life of all? Great

is the mar - - vell! The Cre - a - tor of the world

is de - liv - - ered in - to the hands of law-less men,

and the Friend of hu - man - i - ty is lift - - - ed up

on a cross, in or - der to free

the pris - on - ers in Ha - des, who cry to

Him, "Long - suf - fer - ing Lord, glo - - ry to

You!"