

Aposticha IV.



Mode 2. *Joseph took You.*

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Holiness is proper to Your house, O Lord, un - to length of days.

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When the hosts of an - gels had be - held You be -

ing ma - ligned by the law - less as a de - ceiv - er, O

Christ, and the tomb-stone be - ing sealed by the hands that had

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pierced Your im - mac - u - late side, O Lord, they shud - dered and mar -

veled at Your great and in - de - scrib - a - ble long - suf - fer - ing.

(Γ) (Δ)
Yet, for our sal - va - tion re - joic - ing, they cried out to

You, say - ing, "Glo - ry to Your con - de - scen - sion, Lord who

love man-kind!"