

Apolytikia.



Mode 2.

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When he took_____ down Your im - mac - u - late Bod - y

from the Cross, the hon - or - a - ble Jo - - - seph wrapped it in

a clean lin - en shroud_ with spic - es and laid it for

bur - i - al in a new_____ tomb.

Glory.



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When You de - scend - ed un - to death, O Lord who your - self

are im - mor - tal Life, then did You mor - ti - fy Ha -

des by_ the light - ning flash of Your Di - vin - i - ty. Al - so

when_ You raised the dead from the neth - er - world, all the Pow -

- ers of the heav - ens were cry - ing out: "O Giv - er of

life,_ Christ our God, glo - - ry to You.

Both now.



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The An - gel stand - ing at the sep - ul - cher cried

out and said__ to the oint-ment-bear - ing wom - - - en:

The oint - ments are ap - pro - pri-ate for mor - tal men,

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but Christ has been shown to be a stran-ger to__ de - cay._____