



« GREAT IS THE LORD »

Selections from Psalm Verses
and the Akathist Hymn to the Mother of God

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Plagal Fourth Mode
with elements from all the modes

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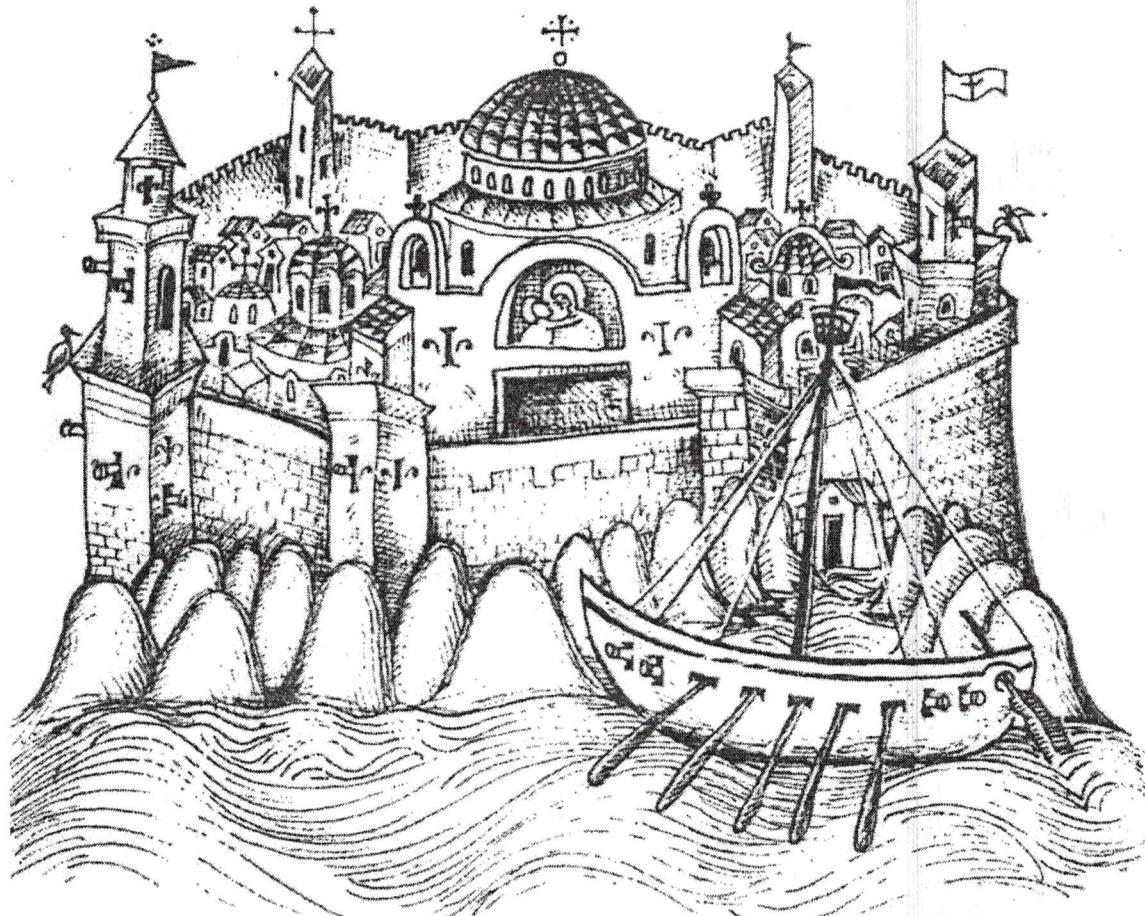
1. **G**reat _____ is _____ the _____ Lord, _____ and _____ great - - ly
 to _____ be _____ praised, _____ in _____ the cit - - - y of _____
 our _____ God. **Re**-joice, **O** La - - - - dy, **Re**-joice,
 for thou art the Throne _____ of _____ the _____ King. **Re**-joice, for

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(B) (M) (P) (K↓) (N)
thou sus - tain - - est the Sus-tain - - - er of all. 

Refrain:

R (P) (N)
e - joice, thou Bride un - wed - ded. 



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2. **T**^(N) he rich a - mong the _____ peo - - ple ^λ shall en -
 - treat _____ thy _____ coun - - - - - te - - - - nance.

R^(N) Re - joyce, heav-en - ly Lad - - - - - der _____

where - - by _____ God _____ came _____ down. ^q Re - joyce, Bridge _____

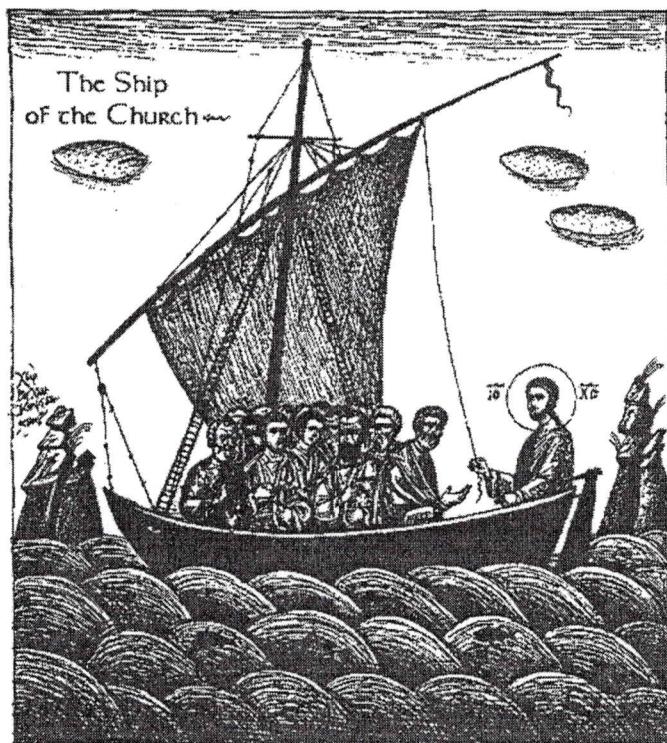
lead - - - - ing _____ ^λ those of earth _____ to _____ heav - -
 - - - en. ^q

R^(N) e - joyce, _____ thou Bride _____ un - wed - - - ded. ^λ



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3. **A** ll the glo - - - ry ^(N) of the _____ daugh - - - ter ^(N) ⁶
 of the King ^(B) ^(N) is ⁴ with - - - in. Re - - - joyce, O
 Spot - - less ^(N) One, ^(N) for thou re - - viv - - - est ^(N)
 the mead - ow ^(N) of de - - light. Re - - - joyce, for thou pre -
 - par - - - - - est a ha - ven for ^(N) souls. ⁴ ⁶
R e - joyce, ^(N) thou Bride ^(N) un - wed - - - ded. ^(N) ^v



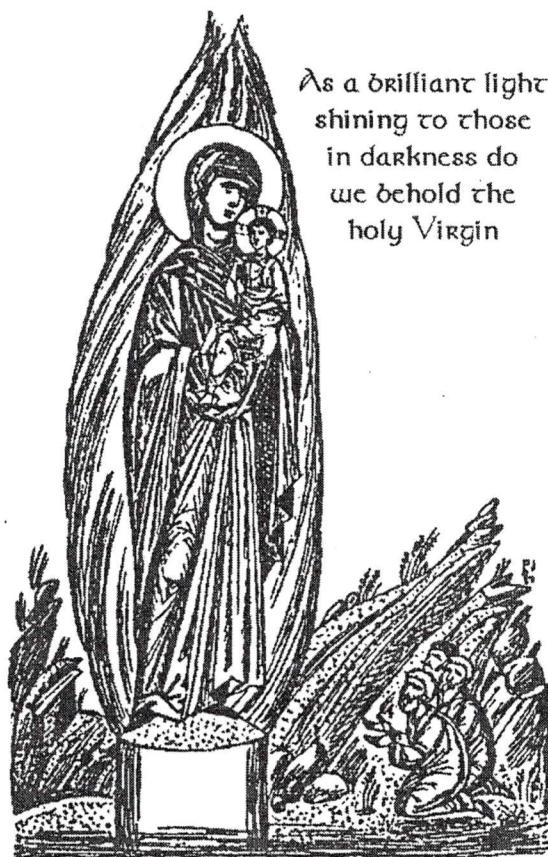
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4. **W**ith gold - fringed gar - - ments is she ar - - rayed,
Aa - doned in var - - - ied co - - - lours.
 Re - joice, Moth - - - - er of the Lamb and
 Shep - - - - herd. Re - joice, Fold of the ra - -
 - - - tion - - al sheep.
Re - joice, thou Bride un - wed - - - ded.

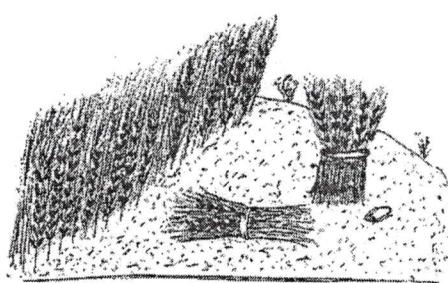
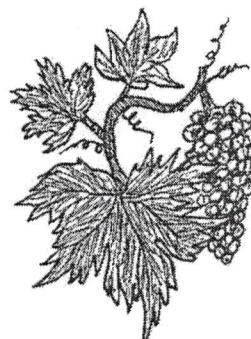


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5. **T** he vir - gins that fol - low_ af - ter _____ her _____ shall
 be brought_ un - to the King. Re - joice, Dawn_
 of the mys - tic Day. Re - joice, thou who didst show_
 forth Christ, the man - - be - friend - ing Lord.
R e - joice, thou Bride un - wed - - ded.



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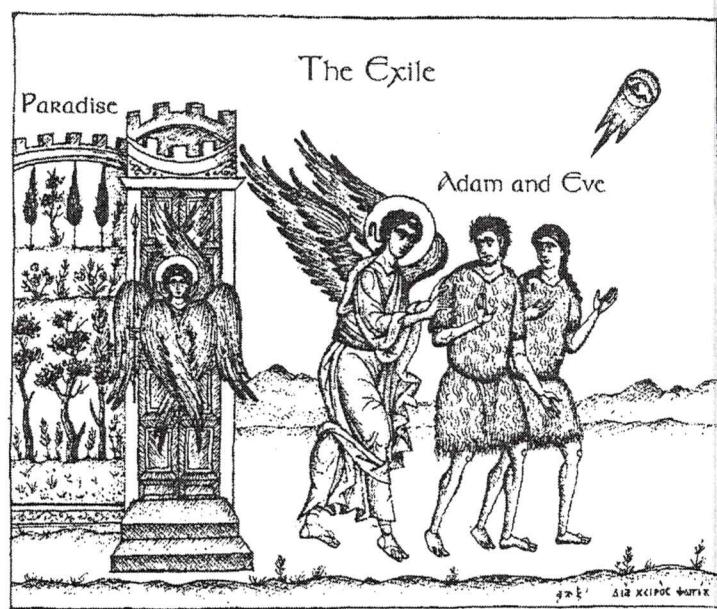
7. **P** ro - claim from day to ⁴ day the good tid - -
 - ings ⁶ of the sal - va - - tion of our
 — God. Re - joice, Tree of good - - - - - ly
 fruit where-by the faith - - ful are nour - - - ished. Re - joice,
 Wood of leaf - - y branch - - - es where-by man - - -
 - y are shel - - - tered.

R e - joice, thou Bride un - wed - - - ded.



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8. **H** e shall come ^(N) down like rain ⁴^(M) up - on a ^(N) fleece,
 and like rain - - - drops ^(K) that fall up - on the ^(M) earth.
 Re - joice, ^(N) thou through whom trans - gres - - sion ^(Δ)
 is ^(Δ) an - nulled. ^(K) Re - joice, ^(N) thou through whom
 Par - - - a - - - dise is o - - - - - - - pened.
R e - joice, ^(N) thou Bride ^(Δ) un - wed - - - ded.



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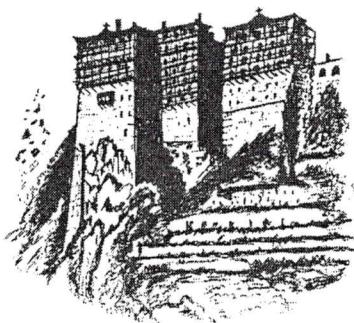
9. G *od* shall come *vis - i - bly,*
yea, our God, *and shall not keep*
si - - - lence. Re - joice, Ark made gold - - -
- en by the Spir - - - it. Re - joice,
in - - ex - haust - - - - - i - - - ble Treas - -
- ur - y of life.
R e - joice, thou Bride un - wed - - ded.



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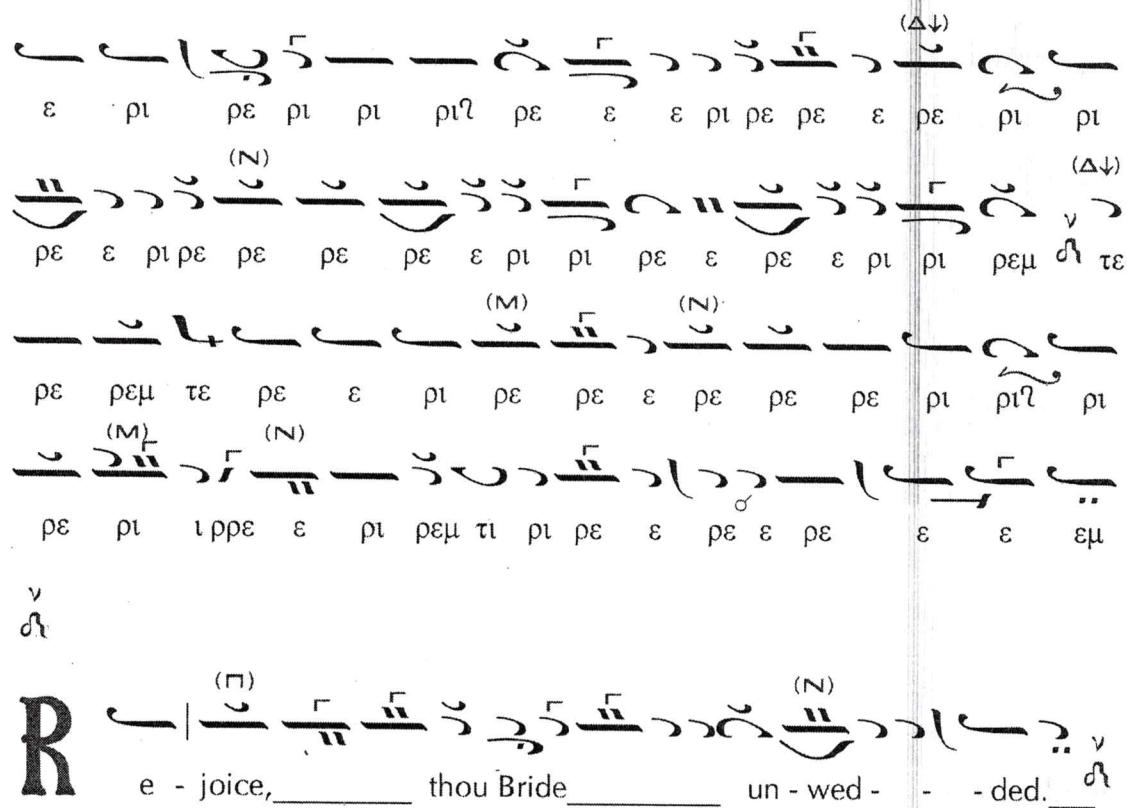
10. **G** ^(N) od hath laid her foun - da - - - - - tions
^(Δ) **A** un - to e - ter - - - ni - - - ty. ⁴ⁿ God is in
^(Π) the midst of her, ⁴^Δ and she shall not
^(N) be shak - - en. ⁴^Δ Re - joyce, ^(Π) sweet -
^(Z) scent - ed fra - - - grance of Christ. Re -
^(Π) - joyce, Life of mys - tic fes - ti - - val. ⁴^Z Re - joyce, Re -
^(Π) - joic - - - ing ^q of eve - - ry gen - er - a - - - - -
^(N) - tion.

R ^(N) e - joyce, ^(Π) thou Bride ^(N) un - wed - - - ded. ⁴^v



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