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Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

# $^{\circ}$ H $\chi$ o $\varsigma$ $\alpha'$ .

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If the Lity was not sung at Vespers, sing the following:

## **CHOIR**

# Idiomela of the Lity. Idiomelon 1.

From Menaion - - -

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Soldier of the great King, rejoice, O George, and be glad. For you were pleasing to God. You disdained all things and found eternal life in heaven. Your body drives away every illness from people. For Christ himself, Χριστὸς γὰρ ὃν ἐπόθησας, αὐτὸς σε δοξάζει μακάριε.

# Ἰδιόμελον $\Delta'$ . Ήχος $\delta'$ .

Δεῦτε φιλομάςτυςες, ἀσματικὴν ὑμνωδίαν, τῷ ἀναστάντι ἐκ τάφου Χςιστῷ προσάξωμεν. Σήμεςον γὰς ἔας νοητὸν ἀνέτειλεν ἡμῖν, πεςκάζον ἄνθη τὰ λογικά, ἡ παγκόσμιος μνήμη Γεωςγίου τοῦ σοφοῦ Μεγαλομάςτυςος, οὖ τινος τὰ στίγματα ἀνανεοῦντες, κομιζόμεθα ἰαμάτων πηγάς. Αὐτὸν καὶ νῦν ἱκετεύσωμεν, τοῦ πρεσβεύειν ἀπαύστως τῷ Σωτῆςι Χςιστῷ, εἰςήνην τῆ οἰκουμένη δωρήσασθαι, καὶ ταῖς ψυχαῖς ἡμῶν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

# Ἰδιόμελον Ε'. Ἡχος δ'.

Πάντα τὰ ἔθνη κροτήσατε χεῖρας, ἀλαλάξωμεν τῷ Θεῷ τῷ Σωτῆρι ἡμῶν, ὅτι ἐν ξύλῳ ὑψωθείς, καὶ ἐν τάφῳ κατελθών, τὸν Ἅιδην ἐσκύλευσε, καὶ νεκροὺς συνήγειρε, βοῶντας αὐτῷ· Ἀλληλούϊα, Ἀλληλούϊα Χριστῷ τῷ ἀναστάντι.

# Ἰδιόμελον ζ'. Ἡχος δ'.

Στέφανον δόξης ἐπὶ κεφαλῆς σου ἀνεδήσω, στεφανηφόρε Γεώργιε· τὸν γὰρ ἀόρατον ἐχθρόν, ὡς ὁ Παῦλος ἐκβοᾳ, ὁρῶν ἐκαρτέρησας, νικητὴς γενόμενος τῆς πλάνης αὐτοῦ. Ἀλληλούϊα, Ἀλληλούϊα, Ἀλληλούϊα, Αλληλούϊα Χριστῷ τῷ ἀναστάντι.

# Ἰδιόμελον Ζ'. Ἡχος δ'.

Άισμα ἀσμάτων χοφεύοντες ἄμα, προσενέγκωμεν τῷ Χριστῷ φιλομάρτυρες, ὅτι τὸν τύραννον ἐχθρόν, ὁ γενναῖος whom you so desired, glorifies you, O blessed one. [5D]

# Idiomelon 4. Mode 4.

O fans of the martyrs, come let us present songful praise to Christ who is risen from the tomb. For today has the spiritual springtime opened to us, colored by the rational blossoms, namely the universal memory of George the wise Great Martyr. Reproducing his marks, we derive wellsprings of cures. Let us now entreat him t intercede unceasingly with Christ the Savior to grant peace to the world and great mercy to our souls.

# Idiomelon 5. Mode 4.

All you nations, clap your hands; let us shout with joy to God our Savior. For He was lifted on a cross, and went down into a grave, and then plundered Hades and raised the dead with himself. And they cried out to Him: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia to the resurrected Christ.

# Idiomelon 6. Mode 4.

Your head was crowned with a glorious halo, O crowned Martyr George. For you saw the invisible enemy, about which Paul spoke, and you persevered and were victorious over its deceptive error. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, to Christ, who has risen! [5D]

# Idiomelon 7. Mode 4.

O fans of the Martyrs, let us celebrate with dance, as we offer to Christ a song of songs. For the valiant Athlete struck the Άθλητής, πτερνίσας κατέβαλε· διὸ πάντες ἄσωμεν ἀπαύστοις φωναῖς· Δόξα Σῶτερ τῆ φρικτῆ σου ἀναστάσει, δι' ῆς ἔσωσας τὸν κόσμον.

Δόξα.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

# Ήχος β'.

Νευέτω δίκαια, ἔφησεν ὁ Σολομών, τοῖς βοοτοῖς τὰ βλέφαρα ἐλεηθήσεται γὰο παρὰ Χριστοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ ὁ βλέπων λεῖα, προηγόρευσεν. Εὐμαρῶς δὲ ταῦτα ἐνωτισθείς, ὧ πολύτλα Γεώργιε, τοῦ Δεσπότου ταῖς διδαχαῖς ἠκολούθησας, καὶ ἀνόμοις ἐκδοθεὶς ἐκαρτέρησας, τῆς πλάνης τὰ ὄργια καταπτύσας ὡς βέβηλα· τὸ σῶμα γὰο ὃ παρέδωκας, ὑπὲο ἀγάπης τοῦ πλάσαντος, ὅλον μεληδὸν κατετέμνετο καὶ ὁ Βελίαο μᾶλλον, ὅλος αἰσχυνθεὶς ἐτιτρώσκετο, στεφηφόρον σε όρῶν ἀκμαιότατον. Όθεν ἐν αὐλαῖς οἰκῶν τοῦ Κυρίου σου, σὺν ταῖς ἄνω Δυνάμεσι, πρέσβευε ἀθλοφόρε Χριστῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - -

Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον. <sup>\*</sup>Ηχος β'.

Τὴν πᾶσαν ἐλπίδα μου, εἰς σὲ ἀνατίθημι, Μήτηο τοῦ Θεοῦ, φύλαξόν με ὑπὸ τὴν σκέπην σου.

# ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Χοιστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκοῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαοισάμενος. (ἐκ γ')

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

Εὐλόγησον.

tyrant foe with his heel and brought him down. Therefore, let us all with unceasing voices sing, "O Savior, glory to Your terrific resurrection, by which You saved the world!"

From Menaion - - -

Glory.

Mode 2.

Let your eyelids ascent to righteous things, said Solomon to mortals; and he foretold that he whose looks are gentle shall receive mercy from Christ God. Having readily heard these sayings, O great endurer George, you followed the teachings of the Master. When you were delivered over to the lawless you endured, disdaining the orgies of error as abominations. Your body, which you relinquished for the love of the Fashioner, was dismembered entirely. But it was Belial rather who was wholly put to shame and wounded, seeing you crowned and in full strength. Wherefore dwelling as you do in the courts of your Lord, together with the hosts on high, intercede with Christ, O prize-winning Saint, that our souls be saved. [50]

From Octoechos - - -

Both now. **Theotokion. Mode 2.** 

O Mother of God, I have committed my every hope wholly unto you. Keep me under your shelter. [5D]

# **READER**

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. (3)

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Father, bless!

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ό ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκοῶν, Χοιστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ταῖς ποεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμώμου ἁγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρός, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων Δυνάμεων Ἀσωμάτων, ἱκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, Προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων Ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων τῶν ὁσίων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν (τοῦ Αγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ) τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακεὶμ καὶ ἄννης, καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, ἐλεήσαι καὶ σώσαι ἡμᾶς, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος.

Εὐξώμεθα ὑπὲο εἰοήνης τοῦ κόσμου. (Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπες τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων Χριστιανῶν.

Υπέο τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος).

Υπέο τοῦ εὐσεβοῦς ἡμῶν ἔθνους.

Υπέρ εὐοδώσεως καὶ ἐνισχύσεως τοῦ φιλοχρίστου στρατοῦ.

Υπες τῶν ἀπολειφθέντων πατέρων, καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν.

Υπερ τῶν διακονούντων καὶ διακονησάντων ἡμῖν.

Υπὲο τῶν μισούντων καὶ ἀγαπώντων ήμᾶς.

Ύπεο τῶν ἐντειλαμένων ἡμῖν τοῖς ἀναξίοις εὕχεσθαι ὑπὲο αὐτῶν.

Υπέρ ἀναρρύσεως τῶν αἰχμαλώτων.

Υπερ τῶν ἐν θαλάσση καλῶς πλεόντων.

Υπὲρ τῶν ἐν ἀσθενείαις κατακειμένων.

## **PRIEST**

May He who rose from the dead, Christ our true God, through the intercessions of His all-pure and all-immaculate holy Mother, the power of the precious and life-giving Cross, the protection of the honorable, bodiless powers of heaven, the supplications of the honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner John the Baptist, of the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy apostles, of the holy, glorious, and triumphant martyrs, of our righteous and God-bearing fathers, (local patron saint); of the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, and of all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, for He is good and loves mankind.

Let us pray for the peace of the world.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For all pious and Orthodox Christians.

For our (episcopal rank) (name).

For our nation.

For the armed forces.

For our departed fathers and mothers, sisters and brothers.

For those who have mercy on us and serve us.

For those who hate us and those who love us.

For those who have asked us the unworthy to pray for them.

For the release of captives.

For those who are traveling.

For those who are ill.

Εὐξώμεθα καὶ ὑπὲο εὐφοοίας τῶν καοπῶν τῆς γῆς.

Καὶ ὑπὲο πάντων τῶν ποοαναπαυσαμένων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς κειμένων, καὶ ἀπανταχοῦ Ὀρθοδόξων.

Εἴπωμεν καὶ ὑπὲο ἑαυτῶν, τὸ Κύοιε, ἐλέησον. Κύοιε, ἐλέησον. Κύοιε, ἐλέησον.

# ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Χοιστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκοῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαοισάμενος.

# ΛΑΟΣ

Άληθῶς ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος.

Let us pray also for the abundance of the fruits of the earth.

And for all our family and friends who have fallen asleep before us, the Orthodox here and everywhere piously laid to sleep.

Let us also say for ourselves: Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

# **PRIEST**

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life.

# **PEOPLE**

Truly the Lord is risen!