

# Lamentations

## Stasis 1

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In the tomb they laid You, You O Christ Who are Life;  
Life, how can You per - ish, or how dwell in a tomb?  
Now we mag - ni - fy You O Lord Je - sus our King,  
King of all O Je - sus, who es - ta - blished earth's bounds  
O my Christ, my Je - sus, King and Mo - narch of all,  
He Who go - verns all things here is seen as a corpse,

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in a - maze - ment an - gel ar - mies lift up their song  
Yet the ro - yal hall of Death You now bring to nought,  
we pay ho - nor to Thy Pa - sion and bur - i - al  
on this day You make Your home in a lit - tle tomb,  
seek - ing what have You de - scend - ded to those in Hell?  
new the grave in which His Bo - dy is laid to rest,

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as they glo - ri - fy Your self - a - base - ment Lord. \_\_\_\_\_  
and from Ha - des realm You raise the dead a - gain. \_\_\_\_\_  
for from foul co - rup - tion You saved us from them. \_\_\_\_\_  
rais - ing up the dead of a - ges from their graves. \_\_\_\_\_  
Was it not to li - ber - ate the mor - tal race? \_\_\_\_\_  
He the one Who emp - ties graves of all the dead. \_\_\_\_\_