

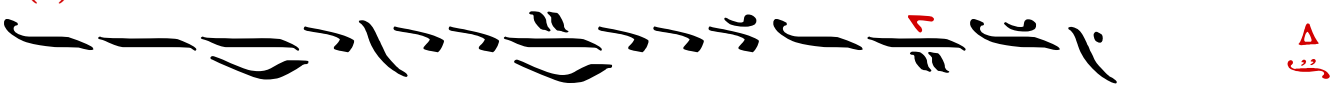
ORTHROS OF HOLY AND GREAT FRIDAY

AT THE PRAISES

1st Idiomelon

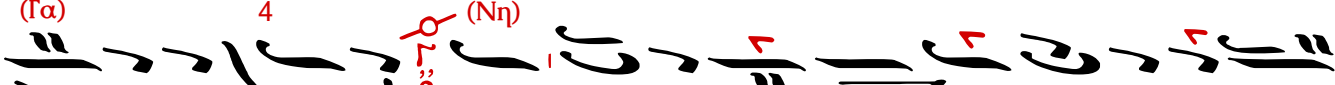
Mode 


Praise Him for His mighty acts, praise Him according

^(Δ)

 to the mul- ti- tude__ of ____ His great - ness. ^Δ

^(Δ)
To- day the grave __ hold - eth ____ Him Who hold-eth


 cre- a- tion in the palm ____ of ____ His ____ hand. ^Δ



^(Γα) ⁴ ^(Nη)

 Life doth__ sleep,__ and Ha - - - des ____ doth

^(Δ)

 trem- - - ble, and ____ Ad - am ____ is re - leased ____




 from ____ his ____ bonds. Glo- ry to Thy dis- pen - sa -

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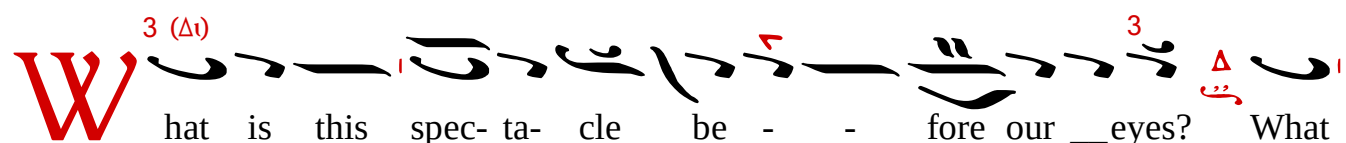
 - - tion, where -by, ____ when Thou hadst ac- com-plished all __ things,


 Thou didst grant _____ us an ev - - er - last - ing Sab
 - - - bath, e- ven Thine all -ho - ly Res - ur- rec -
 tion___ from _____ the _____ dead. 

Praise Him with the sound of trumpet,


 praise Him with the psal- ter - y and ___ harp. 

2nd Idiomelon


W hat is this spec- ta- cle be - - fore our __eyes? What
 is this __ pre - - sent _____ rest? The King of thē __ ag - -
 - es, hav- ing ac - com- plished His dis - pen - sa - tion _____
 through _____ the Pas - - - sion, keep - eth Sab - bath in ___
 the _____ tomb, grant - ing a new _____ Sab- bath
 rest _____ un - to _____ us. To Him _____ let

us ___ cry: _____ A - rise, O ___ God, judge _____

thē _____ earth, for Thou shalt be king un - to thē ___ ag - -

- es, O Thou Who hast im- meas - 'ra - - bly ___ great _____

mer - - - cy. Δ

* What is this spec - ta - cle be - fore our ___ eyes? What is this ___

_____ pre - sent ___ rest? The King of thē ___ ag - - es, etc. Δ

Praise Him with timbrel and dance,

^(Δ) praise Him with strings and ___ flute. Δ

3rd Idiomelon

^(Δ) Come, let us be - - hold our ___ Life, ly- ing ___ in the ___ grave,

^Δ that He might make those ly - ing in the graves _____ to _____

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 live. ___ As we see Him of Ju- dah sleep- ing to - day,
 let us cry out to Him ac- cord - ing to the proph - e - -
 - cy: Hav- ing couched, Thou hast slept as _____ a ___ li -
 - - -on; who shall rouse _____ Thee up, _____ O _____
 King? But a - rise of Thine own __ pow - - er, Who will- ing-
 ly gav - est _____ Thy - self _____ for _____ us.
 O Lord, glo - ry ___ be _____ to _____

Mode Πα

Praise Him with tuneful cymbals, praise Him with cymbals of jubilation.

Let ev- 'ry breath _____ praise _____ the _____ Lord.

4th Idiomelon

Jo- seph asked for the Bod - y _____ of ___ Je - - -

- sus and laid _____ it in his new sep -

ul - - - chre. For it was meet that He should

come forth from the ___grave___ as from a brid - - al cham

- - - ber. O Thou _____ Who hast ___crushed the

do - min - - ion ___ of _____death, and hast o - -

- pened the gates ___ of ___ Par - a - dise _____ un - to ___ man,

glo - ry be _____ to _____Thee.

Doxastikon of the Praises

Inspired by Papa Ephraim and Nicholas Roumas

Mode

lo - - - ry to the Fa - ther, and to _____ the ___ Son,

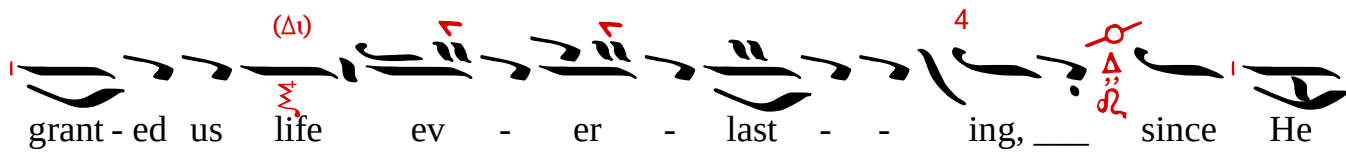
and to the Ho - - ly Spir - - it.

B^(Πα) oth ___ now ___ and ___ ev - er and un- to thē ___ a -
 ges ___ of a - ges. A - - - men.

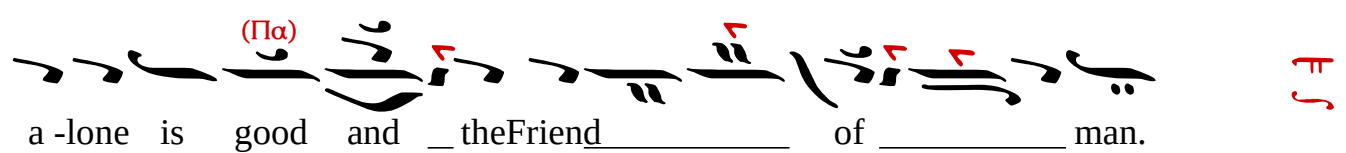
G^(Πα) reat ___ Mo - ses ___ mys - ti - - c'ly pre - fig - ured ___
 ___ this day, ___ say - - - ing: And God blessed the ___ sev -
 - enth ___ day. This is the bless - ed Sab - - - bath;

³ (Nη) this is the day of ___ rest, ___ where - on, ___ through the dis -
 - pen - sa - - - tion of ___ death, thē On - ly - Be - got - ten
 Son ___ of ___ God rest - ed ___ from all ___

His ___ works, keep - ing Sab - bath in ___ the
 ___ flesh. ___ And through the Res - ur - rec - - - tion,
 he re - sumed a - gain His ___ for - - - mer ___ state, and



grant - ed us life ev - er - last - - ing, ___ since He



a - lone is good and _ theFriend _____ of _____ man.