

December 25th - Vespers: Second Troparion of the Prophecies

Translation
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Mode 2 Plagal - Thi = G

Byzantine Chant
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Ne. Thou hast shone forth from a Vir - gin, O Christ, Thou spir-it - u - al



Sun of Right-eous-ness. And a star showed Thee, whom nothing can con-tain,



con - tained with - in a cave.

REFRAIN:



Thou hast led Ma - gi to wor-ship Thee, and join - ing them we



mag - ni - fy Thee: O Giv - er of life, glo - ry to Thee.

1. The Lord is King, and hath put on glorious apparel: the Lord hath put on His apparel and girded Himself with strength. [REFRAIN]
2. He hath made the world so sure, that it cannot be moved. Thy throne is prepared of old: Thou art from everlasting. [REFRAIN]
3. The floods have lifted up, O Lord, the floods have lifted up their voice: the floods lift up their waves at the voice of many waters. [REFRAIN]
4. Wonderful are the mighty waves of the sea; wonderful is the Lord on high. Thy testimonies are very sure. [REFRAIN]
5. Holiness befits Thine house, O Lord, forever. [REFRAIN]
6. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen. [Repeat *Thou hast shown forth...* with the refrain]

Alternate
version:



con - tained with - in a cave.

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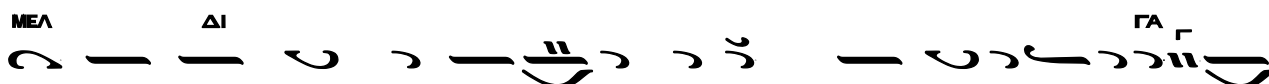
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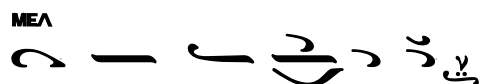
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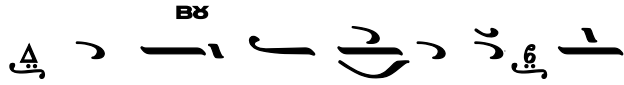
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