

March 30th & the Fourth Sunday of Lent  
Our Righteous Father John Climacus, Author of "The Ladder"

Apolytikion  
Version B

Translation:  
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Mode 4 Plagal - Ga = F

Byzantine chant:  
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Ne. The bar-ren wil-der-ness thou didst make fer - tile  
with the streams of thy tears; and by thy deep sigh-ing thou hast giv-en  
fruit through thy strug-gles a hun - dred - fold. Ac-cord-ing - ly, thou  
hast be-come a star for the u - ni-verse, spar - kling with  
mir - a - cles. There-fore, O right - eous Fa - ther John,  
in - ter - cede with Christ God to save our souls.

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