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has ten to deliver a defenseless people.

He that allowed thee to recline on His breast, receiveth thee

bowing in intercession. Implore Him, O Theologian, to dispel the persistent cloud of the heathen, and

ask for us His peace and Great Mercy.
Apolótikion for
the Repose of the Apostle and
Evangelist John the Theologian

(September 26)
(Also sung on his feast day of May 8)
Second Mode

O John, beloved of Christ our God, hasten to deliver a defenseless people.
He that allowed thee to recline on His breast, receiveth thee bowing in interces-
sion. Implore Him, O Theologian, to dispel the persistent cloud of the heaven-
then, and ask for us His peace and Great Mercy.

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