Ocober 23rd
Holy Apostle James, the "Brother of God"
Exaposteilarion & Theotokion

Byzantine Mode 2
Special Melody: Upon that mount in Galilee

1) As an Apostle truly great, the chief and foremost
2) That great and dread and awful day of judgment swiftly

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hierarch of the divine New Covenant;

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as an all-wise expounder, and as the truth's faithful

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my soul, awake, be sober; look thou, fall down with thy

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witness, who didst abound above all with an entire heart before the holy Virgin, the only

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peccial dignity as the Lord's very Brother, thou

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Mother of our God; and with tears, cry sincerely: De-

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now hast passed over unto Him, being slain by

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stoning. O James, pray that He grant to us
-plore thee; O pure one, number me among

for - give - ness of our fail - ings.

the sheep at thy Son's right hand.