O Jacob most adored, the martyr of the Lord,
thee do we supplicate and ask, with hope and faith, that
thou wilt deliver us now from all troubles and afflictions:
healing all our painful wounds, through the remedy of penitence, crushing all our enemies through thy
fervent prayer to God, and granting peace and safety to our
life that we may give thee praise as is proper.
O Mother undefiled who gavest birth to God, O

thou unwedded bride, be unto me a cure; for mine afflicted, wretched soul hath withered from my transgressions.

I entreat thee earnestly, with deep sighings of the heart: my beseeching do thou accept who art most pure and blameless, that, proudly, unto thee, I may cry out: Rejoice, O Lady who art full of Grace.
O our Father Jacob, speak in spirit now and say to us what is pleasing to the Lord by which we may inherit Life. The Saint respondeth with love and with kindness, saying: Be obedient to the Lord, my beloved children, for due to pride we lost the most lovely Paradise, to which we shall return through Christ our Lord and King Who obeyed the Father unto death.

Accomplish, therefore, the will of our God, and your souls will surely be saved.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

O pure Virgin, spotless Maid, look after us thy servants.

Thou, O Mother of our God, show thy compassion and save us, for we have no one but thee as a mighty helper.

I, the wretched one, was defiled by passions. Sweeten by thy tenderness my bitter soul, that I may overcome my evil habits through thy great and tender mercy.

Remember me, therefore, O Theotokos, and on my soul have compassion.

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Third Kathisma

Tone 8, Plagal Fourth Mode
Special Melody: *By conceiving the wisdom*

Thou, O Jacob, didst carry thy cross with joy, and thou didst follow Christ the Lord to the end. Thy heart thou didst not incline to the world, O most blessed one, but didst prepare thyself by thy fasting and labors, so that the path of martyrdom wouldst thou joyfully accept. Therefore, thou becamest to the Lord a place to dwell in, and reveal est His divine gifts in abundance. And through thee, He healeth the sick and guideth all the lost. Intercede with Him fervently that He may grant forgiveness of all transgressions to them that with longing celebrate thy holy memory.

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By con-ceiv-ing the Wis-dom and Word of God, in thy womb, in ex-plic-a-bly, Moth-er of God, thou bear-est for all the world Him who found-ed the u-ni-verse. And in thine arms thou hold-est Him Who hold-eth all in His hand, He Who pro-vid-eth food and or-dain-eth cre-a-tion. Where-fore, O all-ho-ly one, I fer-vent-ly im-plore thee with faith that my man-y sins be for-giv-en when I shall stand be-fore my God and Cre-a-tor. O all-laud-ed Vir-gin, I pray, show thy com-passion and as-sist me in that hour, for thou art, O pure La-dy, ca-pa-ble of all thou dost will.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.
First Kathisma

(Original melody: Awed by the beauty)

Third Mode

Ja- cob most a- dored, the mar- tyr of the Lord, thee do we sup- pli- cate and ask, with hope and faith, that thou wilt de- liv- er us now from all trou- bles and af- flic- tions: heal- ing all our pain- ful wounds, through the rem- e- dy of pen- i- tence, crush- ing all our ene- mies through thy fer- vent prayer to God, and grant- ing peace and safe- ty to our life that we may give thee praise as is prop- er.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Mother undefiled who gavest birth to God, O thou unwed bride, be unto me a cure; for mine afflicted, wretched soul hath withered from my transgressions. I entreat thee earnestly, with deep sighings of the heart: my beseeching do thou accept who art most pure and blameless, that, proudly, unto thee, I may cry out: Rejoice, O Lady who art full of Grace.
Second Kathisma

(Original melody: Joseph was amazed)

Fourth Mode

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Father Jacob, speak in spirit now and say to us what is pleasing to the Lord by which we may inherit Life. The Saint respondeth with love and with kindness, saying: Be obedient to the Lord, my beloved children, for due to pride we lost the most lovely Paradise, to which we shall return through Christ our Lord and King Who obeyed the Father unto death. Accomplish, therefore, the will of our God, and your souls will surely be
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Remember me, therefore, O The-o-tokos, and on my soul have com-passion.
Third Kathisma

(Original melody: By conceiving the wisdom)

Plagal Fourth Mode

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Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

By conceiving the Wisdom and Word of God, in thy womb, explicably, Mother of God, thou bearest for all the world Him who founded the universe. And in thine arms thou holdest Him who holdeth all in His hand, He Who provideth food and ordaineth creation. Wherefore, O all-holy one, I fervently implore thee with faith, that my many sins be forgiven when I shall stand before my God and
Creator. O alluded Virgin, I pray, show thy compassion and assist me in that hour, for thou art, O pure Lady, capable of all thou dost will.