1) Adam and Eve, rejoice and put aside all sorrow;

for in a barren woman, beyond all hope the

Mother of Joy doth bud as fruit today.

2) Father Abraham, all Patriarchs and Fathers,

be filled with jubilation on seeing that the

Mother of God doth spring forth from your root.

3) Joachim, leap for joy; rejoice with him, O Anna;

for on this day ye bear fruit that is the cause of

joy and salvation for the world entire.

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4) Ye of the Prophets' choir, make merr-y; for, be-hold ye, in Anna is be-got-ten a fruit through which your proph-e-cies all shall ful-ly come to pass.

5) O all ye tribes, re-joice with chaste and bar-ren Anna;

for past all ex-pec-ta-tion, she bear-eth, as the fruit of her womb, the cause of life for us.

6) To, from a fruit-less womb, the Moth-er of the Mak-er of all things in cre-a-tion to-day hath been en-gen-dered; be glad, ye ut-most ends of earth.