1) Righteous Father John, in very truth, thou hadst the high praise of God in thy throat every day and hour; and with active diligence thou didst earnestly meditate on the divine inspried oracles and wast made rich in the grace that they pour forth; through this, O man most wise, thou becamest blessed and didst utterly overturn the counsels of all base and godless men.

2) Righteous Father John most glorious, with streaming fountains of tears, thou didst wash thy soul clean of stain; standing all the night in prayer,

thou becamest a friend of God; and thou didst soar as on wings unto His love and His divine beauty, which thou worthily now dost enjoy on high with thy fellow athletes evermore in joy, O most blest and godly-minded Saint and man of prayer.

3) Righteous Father John most glorious, since thou hadst given thy mind wings to soar up to God by faith, thou didst hate the turbulence and impermanence of the world. For thou didst take up thy cross with ardent zeal to follow after Him that beholdeth all; and thou didst subjugate the reluctant body to thy sovereign mind by ascetic labors through the Holy Spirit's might.