1) When Thou art about to come to execute righteous judgment, O most righteous Judge and King, seated on Thy glorious throne of sovereignty, and that river of fire at Thy dread tribunal draweth all men and astoundeth all, while the celestial hosts stand there in Thy presence, O Master Christ, and all mankind in fear is judged, each one in accordance with what he did,
then, O Savior, spare us, and grant us who be-
seech Thee now in faith to find a portion with all the saved
since Thou art compassionate.

2) When the books are opened up, the deeds of men shall be
laid bare at the dreadful judgment seat;
all the vale of weeping then terribly shall sound
with the gnashing of teeth, as it see(e)th all them
that have sinned as they are now sent forth

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to age-long punishments by Thy righteous judgment, O King of all,
and weeping sore to no avail.

But, O Good One, Lord most compassionate,
we implore and beg of Thee to spare us who now
sing Thy praise in hymns, since Thou alone art long-suffering,
only greatly merciful.

3) Mighty trumpets shall resound and all the graves shall be
emptied; all the nature of mankind
shall rise up and stand again, trembling sore with fear.

They who did good in life shall rejoice in gladness,

while awaiting to receive reward;

they who committed sin terribly shall tremble and howl in grief,

sent off to painful punishment,

set apart and severed from the elect.

O Thou Lord of Glory, take pity on us all, since Thou art good, and deem us worthy to share the lot of all them that loved Thee well.

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4) Mourn-ing, I la-ment and weep, when I per-ceive and con-

- sid-er that dread ev-er-last-ing fire

with the gnash-ing of the teeth and the fright-ful worm;

un-re-lieved Tar-tar-us, and the out-er dark-ness,

and the com-ing an-guish with-out end,

which shall be-fall all them which have sinned, trans-gress-ing im-

-meas'-ra-bly, who with a wick-ed mind and will

an-gered Thee, O Thou Who art more than good,
of whom, I, the wretched, am one, and am the chief among them all. Yet in Thy mercy, O righteous Judge, save me as compassionate.