



## SLOW APOSTICHA

Fourth Mode

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Aposticha #1

Κύριε ἀνελθών

O Lord, when Thou didst as - cend\_ up - on the\_\_\_ Cross,  
Thou didst ut - ter - ly o - blit - er - ate our  
an - - - ces - tral\_\_\_ curse. And go - ing down\_ in -  
to\_\_\_ Ha - - - des,\_\_\_ Thou didst set free\_\_\_ those in -  
fet - ters from\_ all\_\_\_ ag - - - es\_\_\_ past,

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grant-ing un - to the race\_ of man in - corrup - - -

tion\_\_\_\_ for - ev - - - er; hence, for this cause with

hymns do we glo - ri - fy Thy life - cre - at - - ing

and sav - - ing Ris - - ing from\_ the\_ dead.\_

## Verse #2

'Ο Κύριος ἐβασίλευσεν

The Lord is king; He is clothed with maj - es - ty.

The Lord is clothed with strength and He hath\_

girt\_\_\_\_ Him - self.

## Aposticha #2

Κρεμάμενος ἐπὶ ξύλου

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While hang - ing up - on the\_\_ Tree, O\_ On - ly\_\_ Might -

D

y\_\_ One, Thou didst cause all\_\_ of cre - a - - -

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tion\_\_ to\_\_ trem - - - ble. And when Thou\_\_ wast\_\_

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laid\_\_ in\_\_ the\_\_ grave, Thou didst raise\_\_

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D C D E

them\_\_ that\_\_ dwelt\_\_ in\_\_ the\_\_ graves, grant-ing

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in - cor -rup - tion and life un - to\_\_ the\_\_ race\_\_ of\_\_

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man; for this cause,\_ with hymns we glo - ri - fy

Thine a - ris - ing on the\_ third\_\_\_\_\_ day.\_

## Verse #3

Καὶ γὰρ ἐστερέωσε

For He es - tab-lished the world which shall not be\_

shak - - - - en.

## Aposticha #3

Λαὸς παράνομος Χριστέ

When\_ the\_ law - less peo - - - ple,\_

O\_\_ Christ, sur - ren-dered Thee to\_\_ Pi - late, they con -

demned\_ Thee\_ to\_\_ be cru - ci - fied,

**Zygos**

show-ing them-selves un - grate - ful un - to their

Ben - e - fac - tor; but will - ing - ly Thou -

didst - en - dure bur - i - al,

and, of Thine own - pow - er, didst - a - rise

on - the - third day, as God - grant -

ing - un - to - us - un - end - ing - life

and great - mer - cy.

## Verse #4

Τῷ οἴκῳ σου πρέπει

Ho - li - ness be - com - eth Thy house, O Lord, un - to \_\_

length \_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_ days.

## Aposticha #4

Μετὰ δακρύων γυναικες

Draw-ing nigh\_ un - to the\_ tomb, the\_ wom - en\_

sought\_ Thee\_ with\_ tears; but on not find -

ing\_ Thee, they\_ were\_ o - ver - come\_

with\_ grief. And cry-ing out with lam - en - ta - tion,

they— said:— Woe— un - to— us, O our

Sav - iour,— O— King— of— all,— how—

wast— Thou— sto - - - len? What place—

hold - eth Thy life - - - bear - - ing Bod - - -

y? And an— an - gel— an - swered them:

Weep— not, he— said, but go forth and

pro - claim that the Lord— is— ris - - - en,

grant - - - ing us— joy, since He— a -

lone\_\_\_\_ is\_\_\_\_ mer - ci - ful.\_\_\_\_