Brief Aposticha

Second Mode

Aposticha #1

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Thy Resurrection, O Christ Saviour, hast enlightened the whole world; and Thou hast restored Thine own creature.

O Almighty Lord, glory be to Thee.

Verse #2

The Lord is king; He is clothed with majesty. The Lord is
clothed with strength and He hath girt Himself.

Aposticha #2

Διὰ ξύλου Σῶτερ

By the Tree, O Saviour, Thou didst abolish the curse of the tree; by Thy burial, Thou hast slain the might of death; and Thou hast enlightened our race by Thine arising. Wherefore, we cry out to Thee: O Life-giving Christ our God, glory be to Thee.
For He established the world which shall not be shaken.

When Thou wast nailed up-on the Cross, O Christ, Thou didst change the beauty of created things. And the soldiers, showing their humanity, pierced Thy side with a spear. And the Jews sought to seal Thy tomb, being ignorant of Thy power. But, Thou Who by the mercy of Thy com-
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Verse #4

Τὸ οἶκω σου πρέπει

Aposticha #4

Ζωοδότα Χριστέ
them that a-wait-ed Thy com-ing there didst Thou snatch a-
way, as from the hand of one pow-er-ful, grant-ing them in
Par-a-dise, in-stead of Ha-des, to dwell. Where-fore al-so
un-to us who glo-ri-fy Thine a-ris-ing on the
third day, do Thou grant for-give-ness of sins and great
mer-cy.
Glory...

Δόξα Πατρί

Both now...

Καὶ νῦν

Aposticha Theotokion

"Ω θαύματος καινοῦ

For who hath known of a mother without husband
giving birth, and carrying in her arms Him that embraceth all creation? He that is born is of God's will. In that thou carryest Him in Thine arms as a babe, O all-pure one, and hast boldness towards Him as His Mother, cease not from entreaty Him in behalf of them that honour thee, that He have pity and save our souls.