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Idiomela #1

(Π) The Lord was tak- en up in- to_ the_ Heav- - ens that He might
 send the Com- fort- - - - er un- - - - to_ the_ world. The
 Heav- ens made read- - - y_ His_ throne, (Δ) and the clouds
 His_ as- - - - cent. (Κ) The An- - - gels_ mar- - vel_ as
 they see_ a_ man more ex- alt- - - - ed_ than_ they.
 The Fa- - ther re- - ceiv-eth Him Whom He_ hath_ with_ Him ē-
 -ter- - - nal- - - ly in His bos- - - - om. The Ho- -ly Spir- - -
 it com-mand-eth all_ His_ An- gels: Lift up_ your_ gates_

^(Π) O ___ ye__ princ- - - - es. ^(M) ^(K) Clap your hands___, all__ ye na- - -

^(Δ) -tions; for__ Christ hath as- - - cend- - ed ^(Π) ^(N) ^(Π) whith- er He___ was___ be-

- - - - fore.

(Repeat)

Idiomela #2

^(Π) ___ Lord, at__ Thine As- cen- - - - sion, the Cher- u-bim were sore_

___ a- - mazed, ^(M) ^(K) be- hold- - - ing Thee, God___ that art seat- - - - ed

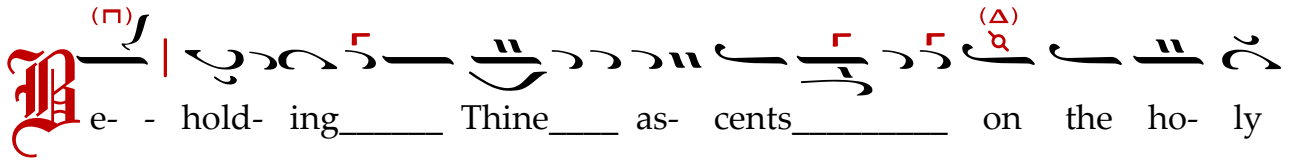
^(Π) up- -on___ them, as- cend- - ing on___ the___ clouds. And we

glo- - - ri- - fy___ Thee, ^(Δ) for Thy mer- - - - - - cy___ is_

___ good. ^(Π) ^(N) ^(Π) Glo- -ry be___ to___ Thee.

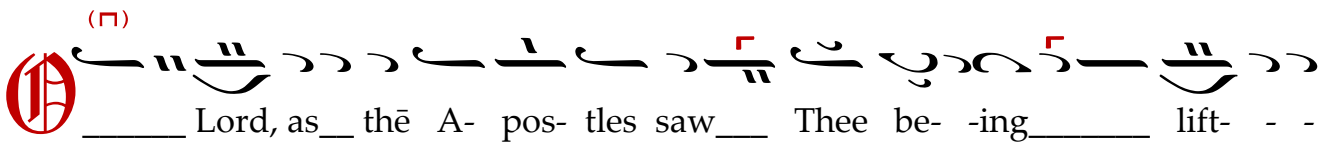
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Idiomela #3


 e- - hold- ing_____ Thine___ as- cents_____ on the ho- ly
 moun- - - - - tains____, O_____ Christ, Thou Ef- ful- gence of the Fa-
 - ther's_ glo- - - ry, we praise the ra- - di- ant form_____ of_ Thy
 coun- - te- - - - nance. We__ wor- - - ship Thy Pas- - - sion, we
 ho- - - nour Thy Res- - ur- - - - rec- - - - - tion, and we glo-
 -ri- -fy Thy glo- - - -ri- - ous__ As- - cen- - sion. Have mer- - - - cy_
 _____ on_____ us.

(Repeat)

Idiomela #4


 _____ Lord, as_ thē A- pos- tles saw__ Thee be- -ing_____ lift- - -
 -ed__ up_____ in the clouds, O life- - - - -giv- - -ing_____

Christ, they were filled with sorrow and wept with la-

men-tation, saying with grief: O

Master, leave not as orphans us Thy servants

whom Thou hast loved in Thy mercy, since Thou art com-

pas-sionate. But as Thou didst promise, send us Thine

All-holy Spirit, to guide our souls

with light.

(Repeat)

Idiomela #5

Lord, fulfilling the mystery of Thy dispen-

sation, Thou didst take Thy disciples and ascend the

Mount_ of Ol- - - - ives; ^(K) and be- hold, Thou didst pass_ through the

fir- - - -ma- -ment_ of__ heav- - en. ^(Δ) ^(Π) O Thou Who__ for my__

sake__ be-cam-est poor__ like un- - -to__ me, ³ and didst as-

-cend__ thith- er whence Thou_ wast not sep- - - a- - -rat- - ed, ^(N) ^(Π)

send__ forth Thine All- - - -ho- - -ly__ Spir- - - - it ^(Δ) to__

en-light- - - - en__ our__ souls. ^(M) ^(Π) ^(Repeat)