Eclogarion Verses

For the Holy Theophany of our Lord and God and Savior, Jesus Christ (January 6)



God be gracious unto us and bless us.

And cause His face to shine upon us and have mercy on us.

Come unto Him, and be enlightened, and your faces shall not be ashamed.

The rushings of the river make glad the city of God.

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters.

The God of glory hath thundered.

The Lord is upon the many waters.

The Lord dwelleth in the flood.

Yea, the Lord shall sit as king for ever.

Lo, He will utter with His voice a voice of power. Give ye glory unto God.

The rivers have lifted up, O Lord, the rivers have lifted up their voices.

The rivers will lift up their waves, at the voices of many waters.

Therefore will I remember Thee from the land of Jordan and Hermoniem, from the little mountain.

They shall be drunken with the fatness of Thy house, and of the torrent of Thy delight shalt Thou make them to drink.

For in Thee is the fountain of life, in Thy light shall we see light.

The sea beheld and fled.

Jordan turned back.

The mountains skipped like rams.

And the hills like lambs of flocks.

At the presence of the Lord the earth was shaken.

At the presence of the God of Jacob.

Who turneth the rock into pools of waters.

And the precipice into fountains of waters.

Cause Thy face to shine, and we shall be saved.

Thou didst establish the sea by Thy might.

Thou didst break the heads of the dragons in the water.

Thou didst crush the head of the dragon.

Thou hast cloven fountains and torrents.

Thou hast dried up the rivers of Etham.

Deep calleth unto deep, at the voice of Thy cataracts.

The waters saw Thee, O God, the waters saw Thee and were afraid.

The abysses were troubled; great was the resounding sound of the waters.

The clouds gave forth a voice; yea, for Thine arrows passed abroad.

Thy lightnings have lightened the world.

The earth was shaken and it trembled.

In the sea are Thy byways, and Thy paths in many waters.

And Thy footsteps shall not be known.

How magnified are Thy works, O Lord! In wisdom hast Thou made them all.