

Eclogarion Verses

The Dormition of our Most Holy Lady, the Theotokos: August 15



Shout with jubilation unto the Lord, all the earth.
Shout with jubilation before the Lord our King.
Give thanks unto Him; praise His Name.
In the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city of our God.
His place hath been made in peace.
And His dwelling in Sion.
The Lord loveth the gates of Sion more than all the dwellings of Jacob.
Glorious things are spoken of thee, O city of God.
God hath laid her foundations unto eternity.
God is in the midst of her, and she shall not be shaken.
The Most High hath hallowed His tabernacle.
Holiness and majesty are in His sanctuary.
Ready is my heart, O God, ready is my heart.
I will sing and chant in my glory.
What shall I render unto the Lord for all that He hath rendered unto me?
This Mount Sion wherein Thou hast dwelt.
I will take the cup of salvation, and I will call upon the Name of the Lord.
In peace in the same place I shall lay me down and sleep.
Return, O my soul, unto thy rest, for the Lord hath dealt bountifully with thee.
Into Thy hands I will commit my spirit.
The Lord is righteous; He hath cut asunder the necks of sinners.
O Lord my God, I will confess Thee for ever.
Thou hast fashioned me and hast laid Thy hand upon me.
Thou hast held me by my right hand.
And with glory hast Thou taken me to Thyself.
For I shall go to the place of the wondrous tabernacle, even to the house of God.
The voice of rejoicing and salvation is in the tents of the righteous.
This change hath been wrought by the right hand of the Most High.
But as for me, in righteousness shall I appear before Thy face.
I shall be filled when Thy glory is made manifest to me.
Arise, O Lord, into Thy rest.
Thou and the ark of Thy holiness.
Holy is Thy temple, wonderful in righteousness.
Holiness becometh Thy house, O Lord, unto length of days.
I shall commemorate thy name in every generation and generation.