

Samopodoben: When the Arimathæan Took Thee

Sticheron at the Aposticha, vespers of Great Friday

Егда отъ древа

Znamenny chant, tone 2

When the A - ri - ma - thæ - an took Thee dead

from the Tree who art the Life of all, He wrapped

Thee, O Christ, with myrrh and lin - en; and he

longed to embrace Thee and to press Thine un - de - filed

Bo - dy to his heart and lips. But, be - ing re -

strained by fear, with re - joic - ing he cried out to Thee:

"Glo - ry to Thy con - de - scen - sion, O

Lov - er of man!"