

“Be quick to anticipate...”

«Ταχὺ προκατάλαβε...»

Sessional Hymn of the Crucifixion at Wednesday Matins, Fourth Mode

Adapted from John the Protopsaltis by Basil Crow

Ἦχος Δ΄ ᾠδὴ

B^(Δ) e quick to an - tic - i - pate our foes ere we be en - slaved by
 them that blas - pheme Thee and that men - ace us with their threats, O mer -
 ci - ful Christ our God; by Thy Cross de - feat them that op - pose us -
 that they may know how might - y is the faith of Or - tho - dox Chris -
 tians, through Thy pure Moth - er's prayers for us all, O on - ly Friend
 of man.

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