

*He returned man to the
Paradise of light*



Prayer of the 9th hour



Melody of the Nativity Paramoun

I start this song with words peacefully
About the pride and brightness of humanity

I place my cares permanently
Upon Virgin Mary who helps quickly

I reveal and speak my mind openly

How can I speak and what can I say

About the mystery of her virginity

Mary's pregnancy baffles minds mysteriously

It is impossible to explain and say

Even the scholars could not find a way

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Ezekiel the prophet spoke about her
He greeted her with peace and said about her
Jesus the King will come to her
He is her Lord and the Creator
He loved her before He had made her
All the arts and all the wonders
Even the sayings of the scholars
Her virginity we should not ponder
Our Almighty Lord is the real wonder
Who dwelt in her womb as a Child to her

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By His will He suffered and was crucified

He rose from the dead after He died

The Son of Man raised men who died

From the depths of Hades to the Paradise

He returned man to the Paradise of light

The salvation of the creation appeared from

The pure and chosen Virgin Mount Zion

Her pregnancy is a mysterious one

To my heart and to my conscience

But nothing is impossible to my Lord, the One

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Moses the prophet spoke a great saying,
With an old prophecy that was amazing
He said that God will truly bring

A great prophet with no equal being

Who created the end and the beginning

He saw you in a burning bush with flames

He became amazed and marveled

Many prophesied what would happen

This is a known symbol of Mary

John the Evangelist spoke and preached

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All my life I glorify with melodies
I could not refrain, I must reveal
The mysteries of the Mother of Christ
I was entrusted to evangelize

Regardless of any circumstances

Solomon spoke of you in the Song of Songs

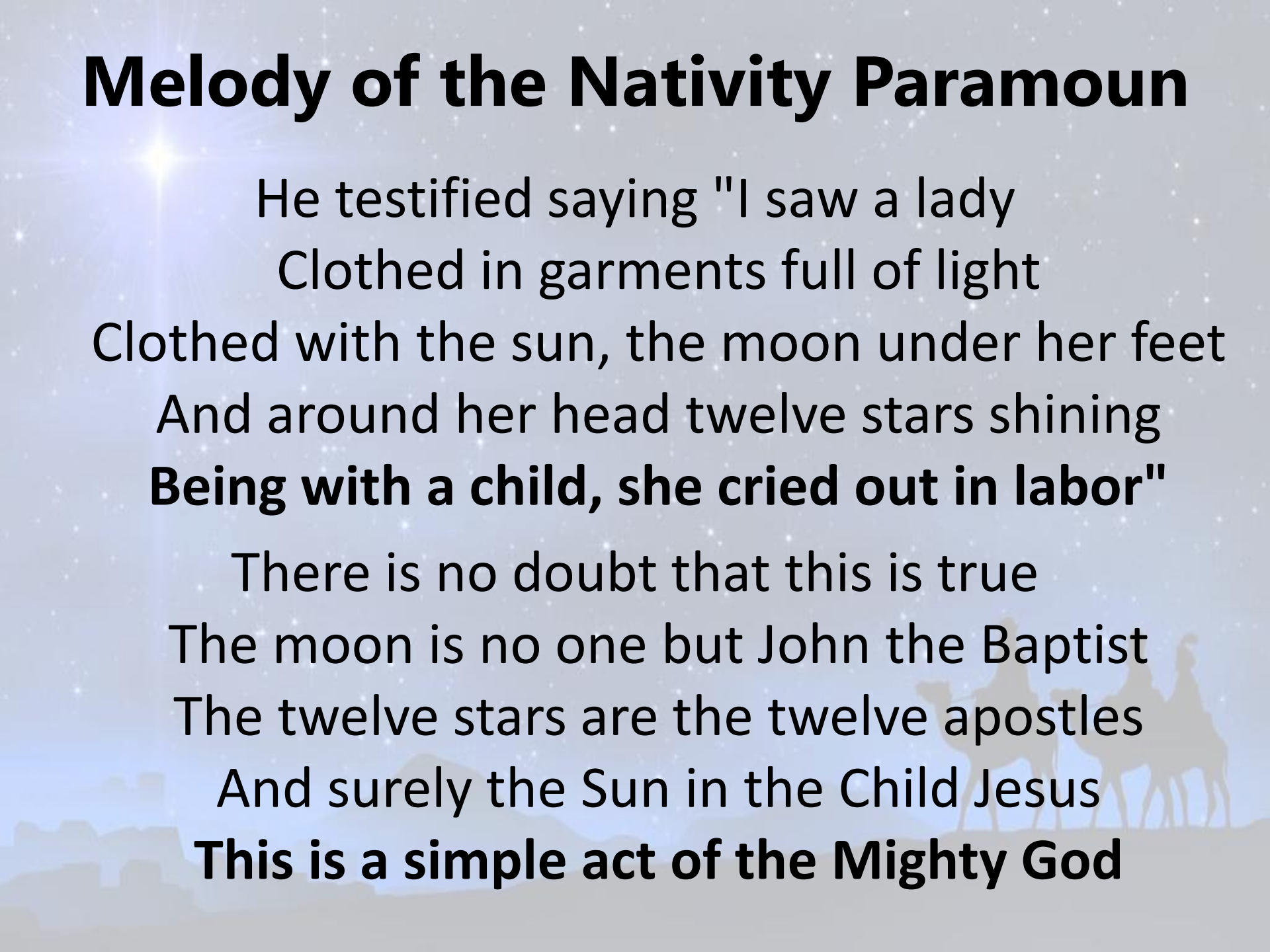
Welcome, my sister, for you I long
The aroma of your clothes is sweet

Truly, John the Evangelist spoke
About Virgin Mary in many words

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He testified saying "I saw a lady
Clothed in garments full of light
Clothed with the sun, the moon under her feet
And around her head twelve stars shining
Being with a child, she cried out in labor"

There is no doubt that this is true
The moon is no one but John the Baptist
The twelve stars are the twelve apostles
And surely the Sun in the Child Jesus
This is a simple act of the Mighty God

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Melody of the Nativity Paramoun

My heart and mind are attached to you

I have never seen anyone like you

I always confess and do not deny

You are my fortress and my refuge

A harbor to those who are in distress

We asked and were given

We reached the shore of enlightenment

For we believed with all understanding

And became righteous and carried the yoke

Of Jesus the Mighty One to His people

Hanna's Prayer

“My heart rejoices in the LORD; My horn is exalted in the LORD. I smile at my enemies, Because I rejoice in Your salvation. “No one is holy like the LORD, For *there is* none besides You, Nor *is there* any rock like our God. “Talk no more so very proudly; Let no arrogance come from your mouth, For the LORD *is* the God of knowledge; And by Him actions are weighed. “The bows of the mighty men *are* broken, And those who stumbled are girded with strength.

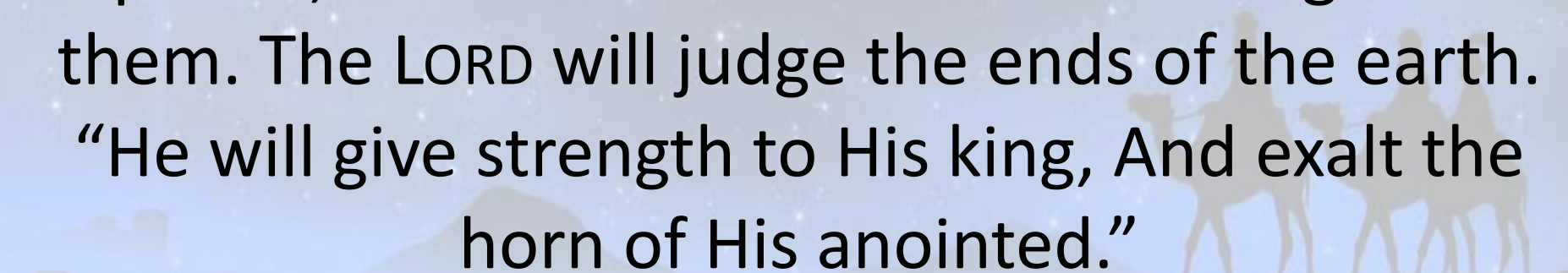
Hanna's Prayer

Those who were full have hired themselves out for bread, And the hungry have ceased *to hunger*. Even the barren has borne seven, And she who has many children has become feeble.

“The LORD kills and makes alive; He brings down to the grave and brings up. The LORD makes poor and makes rich; He brings low and lifts up. He raises the poor from the dust *And* lifts the beggar from the ash heap, To set *them* among princes And make them inherit the throne of glory.

Hanna's Prayer

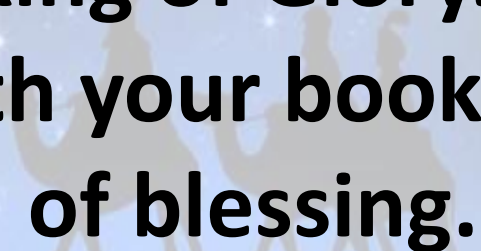
For the pillars of the earth *are* the LORD's, And He has set the world upon them. He will guard the feet of His saints, But the wicked shall be silent in darkness. "For by strength no man shall prevail. The adversaries of the LORD shall be broken in pieces; From heaven He will thunder against them. The LORD will judge the ends of the earth. "He will give strength to His king, And exalt the horn of His anointed."



Psalm Adam for the Nativity

God the merciful, the King of the ages, the Great and compassionate, and the true one. He sent His Word, to the true bride, and dwelt in her womb, for our salvation.

+ He was born of the Virgin, on this day, the overflowing fountain, Jesus the King of Glory.
+ O David come in our midst, with your book of Psalms, to the city of God, full of blessing.



Psalm for the Nativity

Our Savior, who know her,
delighted to, dwell in her.

Many are, your praises, more than
the sand of the sea, O Mary our lady.

+ For truly, it was said to us,

by Isaiah, the perfect prophet.

**+ This is a great wonder, unto us a Child is
born, unto us a Son is given, of great counsel.**

Psalm for the Nativity

Jesus Christ the Mighty, and the government,
will be upon, His shoulder.

Truly indeed, it was said by Ezekiel, about the
Messiah, the King of Israel.

**+ I also saw, a Gate towards the East, sealed
with a mysterious seal, and God the merciful.**

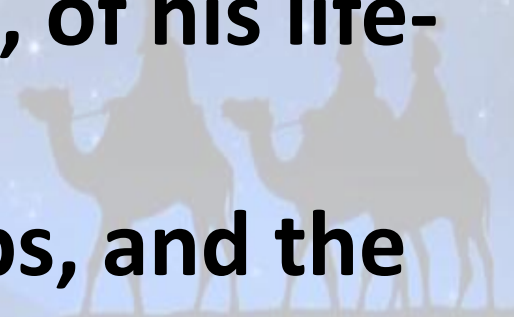
**+ No man shall enter it, but Him who did, we
praise Him with praises, that befits Him.**

Psalm for the Nativity

The kings of the Magi, came from the East, and
worshiped the Christ, whose name is honored
Truly, they opened their gifts,
and offered unto him, three offerings.

**+ Frankincense a symbol of divinity, gold for his
kingship, and Myrrh a symbol, of his life-
giving death.**

**+ Also the kings, of the Aarabs, and the
shepherds, and Sheba and the islands.**



Psalm Adam for the Nativity

Truly they offered to Him, acceptable offerings,
they worshiped Him, as a Lord and Master.

We also the believers, the strong and the
brave, ought to do likewise, in the name of
Christ.

- + To gather together, to celebrate for Him,
with a pure heart, and offer unto Him.**
- + All exaltation and praise, glorification and
honor, as befits God, with pure tongues.**

Psalm for the Nativity

For He who was, born of Mary,
was crucified, for our sins.

Make haste and save us, from our enemies,

O who by His death, carried our sins.

**+ Let all souls give, reverence to Him,
with His Holy Father, and say with joy.**

**+ O Shepherd, and good Savior, with
incessant hymns, we praise to You**

Prayer by St Macrina (the younger)

You have released us, O Lord, from the fear of death. You have made the end of life here on earth beginning of true life for us. You let our bodies rest in sleep in due season and you awaken them again at the sound of the last trumpet. You entrust to the earth our bodies of earth which you fashioned with your own hands and you restore again what you have given, transforming with incorruptibility and grace what is mortal and deformed in us.

Prayer by St Macrina (the younger)

You redeemed us from the curse and from sin, having become both on our behalf. You have crushed the head of the serpent who had seized man in his jaws because of the abyss of our disobedience. You have opened up for us a path to the resurrection, having broken down the gates of hell and reduced to impotence the one who had power over death. You have given to those who fear You a visible token, the sign of the holy cross, for the destruction of the Adversary and for the protection of our life.

Prayer by St Macrina (the younger)

You who have cut through the flame of the fiery sword and brought to paradise the man who was crucified with You, who entreated your pity, remember me also in Your kingdom, for I too have been crucified with You, for I have nailed my flesh out of reverence for You and have feared Your judgments. Let not the dreadful abyss separate me from your chosen ones. Let not the slanderer stand against me on my journey.

Prayer by St Macrina (the younger)

Let not my sin be discovered before Your eyes if I have been overcome in any way because of our nature's weakness and have sinned in word or deed or thought. You who have on earth the power to forgive sins, forgive me, so that I may draw breath again and may be found before you in the stripping off of my body without stain or blemish in the beauty of my soul, but may my soul be received blameless and immaculate into Your hands as an incense offering before Your face. Amen.

Silent personal prayers



Conclusion of every hour

Have mercy on us, O God, and have mercy on us, who, at all times and in every hour, in heaven and on earth, is worshipped and glorified, Christ our God, the good, the long suffering, the abundant in mercy, and the great in compassion, who loves the righteous and has mercy on the sinners of whom I am chief; who does not wish the death of the sinner but rather that he returns and lives, who calls all to salvation for the promise of the good things to come.

Conclusion of every hour

Lord receive from us our prayers in this hour and in every hour. Ease our life and guide us to fulfill Your commandments. Sanctify our spirits. Cleanse our bodies. Conduct our thoughts. Purify our intentions. Heal our diseases. Forgive our sins. Deliver us from every evil grief and distress of heart. Surround us by Your holy angels, that, by their camp, we may be guarded and guided, and attain the unity of faith, and the knowledge of Your imperceptible and infinite glory. For You are blessed forever. Amen.