



THE HOLY MARTYR ΕΡΙΜΑΧΟΣ OF EGYPT

October 31

Apolytikion

Fourth Mode

"Be quick to anticipate"

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Intonation: #10

Ἦχος Δε

Ὁ Μάρτυς σου Κύριε




(M) (Δ) (B)
hy Mar- tyr, O Lord, in his cou- ra- geous con- test for Thee


(Δ) (M) (Δ)
re- ceived as the prize the crowns of in- cor- rup- tion and life

(B) (Δ) (M) (Δ)
from Thee, our im- mor- tal God. For since he pos- sessed Thy strength, he cast

(B)
down the ty- rants and whol- ly de- stroyed the de- mons' strength- less pre- sump-



 tion. O Christ God, by his prayers, save our souls, since Thou art mer - ci -



 ful.

Pray gently and calmly, sing with understanding and rhythm;
 then you will soar like a young eagle high in the heavens.
 Psalmody calms the passions and curbs the
 uncontrolled impulses in the body.

- Evagrius the Solitary