

**An Akathist Hymn to Saint Photini the
Samaritan Woman,
Great Martyr and Equal-to-the-Apostles**



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Through the prayers of our holy fathers, Lord Jesus Christ our God, have mercy on us!

Amen!

Glory to Thee, O God, glory to Thee!

O Heavenly King, Comforter, Spirit of Truth, who art everywhere present and fillest all things, Treasury of good things and Giver of life: Come and abide in us, and cleanse us from every stain, and save our souls, O Good One!

(From Pascha until Pentecost, “O Heavenly King” is not said; from Pascha to its Leavetaking, “Christ is risen” is said three times in its place; but from Ascension to Pentecost, we say neither “O Heavenly King,” nor “Christ is risen,” but the Troparion of the Ascension in Tone 4: "O Christ God, You have ascended in Glory, / granting joy to Your disciples by the promise of the Holy Spirit. / Through the blessing they were assured / that You are the Son of God, / the Redeemer of the world!")

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us! (3x)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us. Lord, cleanse us from our sins. Master, pardon our transgressions. Holy One, look upon and heal our infirmities for Thy name's sake.

Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. Amen.

Lord, have mercy (12).

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Come, let us worship God our King.

Come, let us worship and fall down before Christ, our King and our God.

Come, let us worship and fall down before Christ Himself, our King and our God.

Psalm 50

Have mercy on me, O God, according to thy great mercy, and according to the multitude of thy compassions, blot out my transgressions. Wash me yet more from my transgressions, and from my sin purify thou me. For I know my transgression, and my sin is continually before me. Against thee alone have I sinned, and have done evil before thee; that thou mightest be justified in thy words, and conquer when thou art judged. Behold, in transgressions was I conceived, and in sin did my mother bear me. Behold, thou hast loved truth; the hidden and secret things of thy wisdom hast thou revealed unto me. Thou shalt sprinkle me with hyssop, and I shall be cleansed; thou shalt wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Thou shalt make me hear joy and gladness; the bones that have been humbled shall rejoice. Turn away thy face from my sins, and blot out my transgressions. Create in me a clean heart, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from thy face, and take not thy Holy Spirit from me. Give me again the joy of thy salvation, and establish me with a princely spirit. Then will I teach transgressors thy ways, and the impious shall return unto thee. Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, the God of my

salvation; my tongue shall rejoice in thy righteousness. O Lord, open thou my lips, and my mouth shall declare thy praise. For if thou hadst desired sacrifice, I would have given it; with burnt-offerings thou wilt not be pleased. A sacrifice to God is a broken spirit; a broken and humbled heart God will not despise. Do good, O Lord, in thy goodwill unto Zion; and let the walls of Jerusalem be built. Then shalt thou be pleased with the sacrifice of righteousness, oblations, and burntofferings; then shall they lay bullocks upon thine altar.

The Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Son of God, the Only-begotten, begotten of the Father before all ages; Light of Light, true God of true God; begotten, not made; of one essence with the Father; by whom all things were made. Who for us men and our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and became man. And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate, and suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge the living and the dead; of His kingdom there shall be no end. And in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Giver of life, who proceedeth from the Father, who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, who spake by the prophets. In one holy, catholic, and apostolic Church; I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins; I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the age to come. Amen.

Then immediately we begin the Akathist....

Kontakion 1

To you, O brave and holy Martyr Photini, do we the faithful offer hymns of praise and song, for after conversing with the Savior of all, you illumined those around you by the radiance of your life, and after having suffered many extreme tortures, you received the wreath of martyrdom. Now by your innumerable and God-pleasing intercessions, you continue to brighten the souls of them who honor your contests by crying out to you:

REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED ENLIGHTENER!

Ikos 1

On the day you went to Jacob's well to draw water, who could have known that you would meet the Master of all and receive from Him Living Water? Who could have known that you would converse with your Creator Himself? Or who could have known that you were the one chosen by God to enlighten the Samaritan people? Marveling at this, we praise and sing unto you things such as these:

REJOICE, DRINKER OF THE WATER OF WISDOM!

REJOICE, YOU WHO POUR OUT THAT WATER TO US!

REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE SEEN THE CHRIST!

REJOICE, FEARLESS MARTYR, ACCEPTABLE TO GOD!

REJOICE, YOU WHO RECEIVED MERCY FROM OUR LORD!

REJOICE, YOU WHO PRAY TO HIM FOR US!

REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED ENLIGHTENER!

Kontakion 2

The moment you realized that the Man at the well knew all your hidden deeds, you recognized Him to be the Christ, and although filled with sorrow and compunction for all your sins, within your soul was contained an inexpressible happiness, for you had seen the Creator of the universe with your own eyes, and thus you cried out to Him in your heart: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 2

After speaking with your God and Master and receiving from Him Living Water, in your soul was kindled a burning desire to live always in repentance and to share His gift with those all around you. Thus with great love you ran from the well, leaving behind your jug of water, and said to the people of Sychar, your native city, "Come, see a man, Who told me all things that I ever did: is not this the Christ?" And upon hearing the things you said, many came to see the King of all, and afterward, filled with exceeding joy, they cried out to you things such as these:

REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE FOUND THE TRUE FAITH!

REJOICE, O FAITHFUL PROCLAIMER OF IT!

REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE SEEN HIM WHO IS GREATER THAN JACOB!

REJOICE, O MIGHTY REPENTANT ONE!

REJOICE, O HOLY FRIEND OF CHRIST!

REJOICE, YOU WHO GUIDE US TO HIM!

REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED

ENLIGHTENER!

Kontakion 3

At the request of the people to whom you preached, O Holy Martyr Photini, Christ stayed in Sychar for two days, thus mystically bringing God's Kingdom to them. And grateful that Christ the Noetic Sun had shown mercy and dawned upon them though they were Samaritans, they cried out to Him with thankfulness: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 3

God's love for mankind is infinite, and thus He was pleased to choose you to lead back to Him the Samaritans who had gone astray. Wherefore, hymning and praising you for humbly fulfilling the Master's will, we cry out to you thus:

REJOICE, YOU WHO TOILED MUCH FOR GOD!

REJOICE, YOU WHO ACQUIRED ETERNAL LIFE THROUGH OBEDIENCE TO HIM!

REJOICE, ENLIGHTENER OF SAMARIA!

REJOICE, HOLY COMPASS POINTING THOSE IN DARKNESS TO CHRIST!

**REJOICE, PRAISE-WORTHY EXAMPLE OF REPENTANCE FOR ALL!
REJOICE, SWEET-SMELLING SACRIFICE TO GOD!
REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED
ENLIGHTENER!**

Kontakion 4

The people of Sychar said to you, “Now we believe, not because of your saying: for we have heard Him ourselves, and know that this is indeed the Christ, the Savior of the world.” Whereupon hearing this, you could not help but fervently exclaim to the Lover of mankind from the depths of your heart: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 4

As well as many in Sychar, you converted to the True Faith your five sisters, Anatole, Kyriake, Paraskeve, Photida, and Photo. Along with them, you fervently desired to be clothed in Christ, the robe of eternal life. Thus the Holy Apostles fulfilled your desire - shared also by your sisters - and granted unto all of you baptism in the Name of the Holy Trinity. And when you were baptized, you received the name Photini, that is to say, the enlightened one. We thus thank Him Who instituted the Sacrament of Holy Baptism, and Who thereby illuminated your soul previously darkened, and we also praise you His servant saying:

**REJOICE, YOU HAVE SOUGHT ILLUMINATION!
REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE RECEIVED IT!
REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE SEEN THE TRUE LIGHT!
REJOICE, YOU WHO SHARE THAT LIGHT WITH ALL!
REJOICE, YOU WHO BROUGHT MANY SOULS TO CHRIST!
REJOICE, YOU WHO THROUGH YOUR PRAYERS EVER BRING TO HIM
MORE!
REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED
ENLIGHTENER!**

Kontakion 5

After the martyrdom of the Holy Chief Apostles Peter and Paul, you traveled to the city of Carthage with your sisters and your younger son, the holy Joses, where you valiantly and fearlessly preached the Gospel of Christ to the people there. Therefore, we the faithful praise Him, Christ our God - Who never ceased in aiding you in your efforts for His sake - by chanting unto Him with love: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 5

We hymn you, O Holy Photini, and we marvel at your faith and your love for Christ who gave you to drink of the Living Water, and thus we cry out to you:

REJOICE, UNSHAKABLE MARTYR!

REJOICE, RADIANT WITNESS OF CHRIST!

REJOICE, YOU WHOSE THIRST HAS BEEN QUENCHED BY HIM!

REJOICE, YOU WHO PRAY FOR US AT HIS THRONE!

REJOICE, YOU WHO LEAD THE LOST TO HIM THROUGH YOUR EXAMPLE!

REJOICE, YOU WHO MOVE US TO LEAD SUPERIOR LIVES!

REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED

ENLIGHTENER!

Kontakion 6

Your older son, Victor, the valiant military commander of Attalia, was ordered by the malevolent emperor to take post at Italy. For it was the emperor's wish that Victor would increase the persecutions of the Christians there. But this he would not do, bearing Christ in his heart. Rather, he told his friend Sebastian of his desire to preach the Gospel there. But the then-unillumined Sebastian replied, "O Victor, we all know what woes await you, your mother and brother." But at that very moment he fell blind, laying there three days, 'till he confessed Christ, whereupon he received again his sight. Thereafter he was Baptized. Therefore, we glorify God, who always works for the benefit and salvation of His creatures, chanting unto Him from the depths of our hearts: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 6

You inspire us daily by your holy example, O wondrous Martyr Photini, and you always come to our aid in difficult times, and thus, when we remember your benefactions to us, as well as your zeal and fervor for Christ our King and God, we cannot help but praise you proclaiming aloud:

REJOICE, HELPER OF THOSE WHO HONOUR YOUR MEMORY!

REJOICE, YOU WHO BY YOUR SANCTITY PUT TO SHAME THOSE WHO DON'T!

REJOICE, PROCLAIMER OF THE LOVE OF THE LOVER OF MANKIND!

REJOICE, YOU WHO LIVED IN PRISON FOR YEARS!

REJOICE, FOR YOU ILLUMINED THE MASSES WHO FLOCKED TO YOU THERE!

REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE RECEIVED ETERNAL GLORY THEREBY!

REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED ENLIGHTENER!

Kontakion 7

When the satanic emperor Nero heard of the miracle bestowed by our Lord upon the holy Sebastian, he demanded that he, along with Victor, be brought before him for interrogation. But Christ came to strengthen his brave servants, saying unto them, "Fear not, for I am with you. Nero, and all who serve him, shall be vanquished." Therefore we praise Christ - Who always strengthens and comforts all those who love and serve Him - by joyfully chanting unto Him: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 7

Then Christ said to Victor, your holy son, "From this day forward, your name will be Photinos, because through you, many will be enlightened and will believe in Me." Now as you were deemed worthy to be the mother of one through whom Christ granted illumination to many, we praise you in hymns saying:

REJOICE, YOU WHO ENLIGHTENED MANY SOULS!

REJOICE, FOR PHOTINOS YOUR SON DID SO AS WELL!

REJOICE, YOU WHO LOVED GOD MORE THAN ALL EARTHLY PLEASURES!

**REJOICE, YOU WHO GAVE UP YOUR LIFE FOR CHRIST!
REJOICE, YOU WHO GRANT UNTO US WHO HYMN YOU PEACE!
REJOICE, YOU WHOSE LIGHT SHINES UPON ALL!
REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED
ENLIGHTENER!**

Kontakion 8

Marveling at your perseverance and the beauty of your holy and God-pleasing life, O marvelous Photini, we sinners humbly pray to you who always spurned vain pleasures and the passions of life, that we too may be able to lead a holy and prayerful life following in your example, lest we fall into the devil's snares and be found unworthy to chant unto God: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 8

The vile emperor's plan to interrogate Christ's two confessors was divinely revealed to you, O holy Martyr Photini. Upon receiving this news, you longed to encourage them in their contests and to receive with them the crown of martyrdom. Thus without fear of death, you journeyed to Rome, accompanied by the rest of your illumined family. Now we the faithful, recognizing your zeal for Christ, praise you in songs, chanting unto you such things as these:

**REJOICE, YOU WHO THROUGH YOUR REPENTANCE MADE GLAD THE
RANKS OF ANGELS!**

**REJOICE, FOR YOU MADE THEM YET GLADDER THROUGH THE
PREACHING OF CHRIST'S LOVE FOR MEN!**

**REJOICE, YOU WHO SEALED YOUR LIFE WITH THE WREATH OF
MARTYRDOM!**

REJOICE, UNCONQUERABLE AND VICTORIOUS ONE!

REJOICE, MAGNIFICENT EXAMPLE OF SELF-SACRIFICE!

REJOICE, SWEET GRACE-FILLED SAINT!

**REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED
ENLIGHTENER!**

Kontakion 9

When you arrived at Rome, you increased in strength Christ's brave confessors Victor and Sebastian by your holy presence, granting unto their souls godly calm and peace. Thereafter, encouraged and emboldened in their Faith, they sang unto God with joyful voices: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 9

Your faith being exposed, the disgusting emperor Nero ordered soldiers to bring you before his sinful throne. But anticipating the arrival of the soldiers, you went ahead to Nero with Joses and others dear to you, desiring to convert him. When the emperor saw you and the others who came, he began the interrogation. And indued with the Grace of the Lord whom you proclaimed, you fearlessly told him, "We have come to teach you to believe in Christ." And he, full of rage, ordered all your finger joints to be smashed. But, due to the ineffable mercy of Him Whom you confessed, all your hands remained unharmed and no one felt pain. Because of your love and long-suffering for the progress of the Faith, unto you who were greatly rewarded in Heaven, do we praise, chanting unto you things such as these:

REJOICE, YOU WHO ENDURED ALL THINGS FOR CHRIST!

REJOICE, YOU WHO RECEIVED FROM HIM EVERYTHING IN RETURN!

REJOICE, ACQUIRER OF THE GRACE OF GOD!

REJOICE, YOU WHO SHARE THAT GRACE WITH US!

REJOICE, YOU WHO WERE NOT PERSUADED BY TORTURES!

REJOICE, YOU WHO REMAINED FAITHFUL TO THE END!

**REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED
ENLIGHTENER!**

Kontakion 10

We revere you who were well-pleased to suffer through many inhuman trials and tortures, O thrice-blessed Photini; for your love for the Bridegroom and Lamb of God did not stop even when your hands were placed upon an anvil upon which merciless beatings were carried out. Molten lead and brimstone were poured down your thrice-holy mouth, ashes with vinegar into your all-blessed eyes and nostrils, and hanging on a tree, you were flayed alive. And we, who cannot endure the pettiest of burdens, humbly worship Him Who strengthened you all the days of your life, and who healed you, making you anew, blessing Him with unworthy hearts, and crying out to Him: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 10

Because of the greatly-burning torch of your love for Jesus Christ, you deigned to be burnt with scorching torches by your tormentors. Wherefore, beholding your immeasurable service to the True King and Lord of lords, who cannot help but praise you? Who cannot help but honor you? Who cannot help but chant unto you things such as these:

REJOICE, YOU WHO ARE THE FAITHFUL'S REJOICING!

REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE FOUND THE HEAVENLY KINGDOM!

**REJOICE, YOU WHO HAVE BEEN COUNTED WORTHY TO BE COUNTED
AMONG THE SAINTS!**

REJOICE, HOLY STANDARD OF LIVING FOR THE FAITHFUL!

REJOICE, PERSEVERANT SERVANT OF CHRIST!

REJOICE, BLAMELESS MARTYR!

**REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED
ENLIGHTENER!**

Kontakion 11

By now, the hell-bound Nero had Phontinus, Joses, and Sebastian impiously thrown into prison. And seeing that you had endured thus far without rejecting the Faith, the monstrous emperor, trying still to destroy your patience, threw you into a snake-filled dungeon. However, the snakes, shriveling away upon beholding your grace, perished, whereupon Christ appeared to you and a Heaven-like fragrance filled the dungeon. Though distraught at the extent of the cruelty of the pagans, we joyfully praise our God and Creator, Who grants victory, peace, and eternal life unto those who voluntarily suffer for Him, crying out to Him in gladness: **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 11

During your trials, you converted to the true Faith Nero's daughter Domnina along with all one hundred of her maidservants. Even Nero's sorcerer who attempted to poison you was moved to repentance upon seeing your dedication to our Master, and those enlightened by you put their atrocious emperor to shame by their example of conversion. Now we the faithful praise you who revealed the truth of the Christian faith to countless souls formerly engulfed in the darkness of paganism by chanting unto you:

REJOICE, ENLIGHTENER OF THE DARKENED!

REJOICE, OUR TRULY RESPLENDENT SAINT!

REJOICE, FOR YOU ATTAINED THE KINGDOM THROUGH THE CUTTING OF YOUR VEINS!

REJOICE, YOU WHO MOVE ALL TO SERVE THEIR MAKER!

REJOICE, YOU WHO WERE FAITHFUL TO CHRIST!

REJOICE, YOU WHO IN WHOM THE FAITHFUL BOAST !

REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED ENLIGHTENER!

Kontakion 12

We praise you, O magnificent Photini, for though on earth you lived in the midst of darkness, rather than contributing to it, you enlightened the world around you. And now in the bright courts of Heaven are you, where you enjoy the eternal reward you so rightly deserve. May we too be counted worthy to enter this Kingdom, so that in Heaven along with you, we may chant eternally to the majestic Triune God, **ALLELUIA!**

Ikos 12

Before your martyrdom, Nero, that demonic tyrant (still believing you could be persuaded into denying your Faith in Christ our God), asked you one last time to sacrifice to the idols. Thus in obedience to Our Savior - Who said, "And fear not them which kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul" - with great boldness, you spat on Nero's miserable face, saying to him with laughter, "O most impious of the blind, you profligate and stupid man! Do you think me so deluded that I would consent to renounce my Lord Christ and instead offer sacrifice to idols as blind as you?" Whereupon hearing these remarkably truthful words of yours, burning with arrogance and fury, the nefarious emperor ordered you to be drowned. After his wicked order was carried out, you were met by the angels, who then took your holy soul to our Lord. Now in heaven you pray to Him for us who hymn you, saying:

REJOICE, YOU WHO DID NOT SACRIFICE TO THE IDOLS!

REJOICE, SACRIFICE WELL-PLEASING TO GOD!

REJOICE, YOU WHO WERE PERSECUTED FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS' SAKE!

REJOICE, YOU WHOSE REWARD IS GREAT IN THE HEAVENS!

REJOICE, O BRILLIANT LIGHT THAT SHINES UPON ALL!

REJOICE, YOU WHO LIVED A FRAGRANT LIFE!

**REJOICE, O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, ENLIGHTENED
ENLIGHTENER!**

Kontakion 13

(this Kontakion is to be said 3x)

O gloriously bright Photini, on earth you were truly like a beacon on shore, whose light shines far at night, guiding those at sea. For in obedience to the words of your Savior, you let your light shine before men, thus causing them to glorify their Father in Heaven, crying out to Him, **ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!**

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ENLIGHTENER!**

Closing Prayer to the Holy Great Martyr Photini:

O HOLY GREAT MARTYR PHOTINI, CONVERSER WITH CHRIST, AND ONE EQUAL TO THE APOSTLES IN GLORY: PRAY TO CHRIST OUR GOD THAT HE WOULD MAKE CATECHUMENS WORTHY OF ILLUMINATION, AS YOU WERE. PRAY TO HIM THAT HE WOULD NOT TAKE HIS LIGHT AWAY FROM US WHO HAVE ALREADY BEEN ILLUMINED BY IT, BUT RATHER THAT HE WOULD INCREASE IT IN US DAY BY DAY. SHINE UPON THE WORLD YOUR PEACE AND LOVE. COME TO THE AID OF THEM THAT ARE PERSECUTED FOR CHRIST'S SAKE, AS YOU ONCE WERE. HELP US TO BE FAITHFUL TO THE END AND RECEIVE ETERNAL CROWNS OF VICTORY, AS YOU HAVE, O RADIANT AND VICTORIOUS ONE. IN DIFFICULT TIMES HELP US TO REMEMBER THAT WE HAVE YOU AS A HEAVENLY INTERCESSOR BEFORE GOD'S THRONE. TEACH US TO LEAD A BRIGHT AND GOD-PLEASING LIFE, FOLLOWING YOUR EXAMPLE, O HOLY PHOTINI. THROUGH YOUR INTERCESSIONS, AND THOSE OF THE MOTHER OF GOD, AND OF ALL THE OTHER SAINTS, MAY WE BE COUNTED WORTHY TO BE HEIRS OF THE RADIANT AND HEAVENLY KINGDOM OF OUR GOD, TO WHOM IS DUE ALL GLORY, HONOUR, AND WORSHIP: TO THE FATHER AND TO THE SON, AND TO THE HOLY SPIRIT, NOW AND EVER AND UNTO AGES OF AGES.
AMEN!

+++ The End, and Glory to God for all things! +++