"for unbearable is the magnificence of Your glory"

### Trayer of the 11th hour

(My Lord Precious Jesus No one is More Beloved With Him I am no stranger and the cross is no burden) x2

(How beautiful is life with Him Jesus Lord of Heaven) x2 (He blesses life Living with Him is pleasant) x2 (In His protection I live) x2

(With vigor my soul treads
Upon all the world
My beloved is lovely
Filled with splendor) x2

(How beautiful is life with Him Jesus Lord of Heaven) x2 (He blesses life Living with Him is pleasant) x2 (In His protection I live) x2

(My pains in the wilderness their number matters not In the eternal meadows
The Savior carries me) x2

(How beautiful is life with Him Jesus Lord of Heaven) x2 (He blesses life Living with Him is pleasant) x2 (In His protection I live) x2

For You are the Lord Most High, compassionate, patient, and merciful, repenting from the evil deeds of people.

You, O Lord, according to the fullness of Your clemency, promised repentance and forgiveness to those who have sinned against You, and in the fullness of Your mercies, You have appointed repentance for sinners toward salvation.

Therefore, You, O Lord of the righteous, have not given repentance for the righteous, for Abraham and Isaac and Jacob, who had not sinned against You, but you have given repentance for me, the sinner.

"O Lord Almighty, God of our fathers, of Abraham and Isaac and Jacob, and of their righteous seed. You Who have made heaven and earth with all their adornment. You Who have bound the sea by the word of your command, You Who have shut the deep, and sealed it with your fearsome and glorious Name. You at whom all things shudder, and tremble before Your power, for unbearable is the magnificence of Your glory, and not to be withstood is the anger of Your threat towards the sinners, and immeasurable and inscrutable in the mercy of Your promise.

For I have sinned more than the number of sand of the sea; my lawless deeds are multiplied, O Lord, multiplied, and I am not worthy to look and see the heights of heaven because of the multitude of my unrighteous deeds.

I am bent down by too many a bond of iron for the lifting of my head because of my sins, and there is no relief for me, for I have provoked Your wrath and done evil before You. I have set up abominations and multiplied provocations.

And now I bent the knee of my heart, begging for Your clemency. I have sinned, O Lord, I have sinned, and I know my lawless deeds. I am asking, begging You: forgive me, O Lord, forgive me! Do not destroy me with my lawless deeds, nor for all ages keep angry with me, nor condemn me to the depths of the earth, for You, O lord are the God of those who repent. And in me You will display Your goodness, for my being worthy, You will save me according to Your great mercy. And I will praise You throughout all the days of my life, for all the power of the heavens sing Your praise. For Yours is the glory, to the ages. Amen.

I raised my eyes, to You O Lord,
like the eyes of, the servant to his Master.
Loosen from me, the bonds of sin,
help me through, Your love for mankind.

- + That I may begin, with great desire, of all my power, to offer You glory.
- + All the righteous, who have pleased God, and walked at all times, in His divine Law.

Who were spoken about, by the psalmist,
David the divine-mantled, in his psalm.
Truly they are planted, by the rivers of water,
because of their pure hearts, until they completed
their days.

- + Behold you are honored, more than all of them,
  O blessed righteous, John the Baptist.
- + The explanation of your name, is in the mouth of the faithful,

it also became, a support for us.

- Jesus the only-begotten, you placed your hands upon, and in the Jordan, you baptized Him.
  You are exalted more, than the patriarchs, and honored more, than the prophets.
  - + You were also naked, with the beasts,
    you lead the multitude, to the upright way.
    + There were none, like you,
    you loved asceticism, and put on sackcloths.

You are a prophet, you are an apostle, you are an anchorite, you are a martyr.
You were adorned by your deeds, for you are righteous,

you became like, the angels.

+ And Malachi, calls you,

you are Elijah, coming in perfection.

+ Christ your King, said to the multitude,

"You are greater, than a prophet."

The mouth of Zacharias, witnessed to us, when his tongue spoke, after he wrote your name. Yes we ask you, to pray for us,

before your Creator, to have mercy upon us.

- + To lift up the pains, from His people, and look down from above, with the eye of His goodness.
  - + Because of Your mercy, do not forsake us, O God of our salvation, but accept us to You.

Disperse from us the evil, of the heretics, through the intercessions, of the Baptist.
Hail to John, son of Zacharias, hail to the kinsman, of the Messiah.

- + All the souls together, who departed this age, grant them coolness, in the Paradise.
  - + O Creator, have mercy on my weakness, through the supplications, of Your forerunner.

# Trayer by Tope Shenouda (For the new year)

Lord, make this year a blessed year. A pure year to please You. A year in which Your Spirit prevails and joins in working with us. Hold our hands and guide our thoughts from the beginning of the year till its end.

Let this year be Yours, to please You. It is a New Year, spotless; let us not tarnish it with our sins or impurities. Lord, be with us in every work we intend to do this year; silent we will be, and You will do everything. Let us rejoice in all Your deeds, and say with John the Evangelist: "All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made." (John 1:3)

# Trayer by Tope Shenouda (For the new year)

Let this year, O Lord, be a joyful year; put a smile on each face and gladden every heart. Let Your grace emerge in our trials and help those who are tempted. Grant us peace and quietness of mind. Give those who are in need, cure the sick, and comfort the grieved. We do not ask You, God, only for ourselves but we ask for all, because we are all Yours. You created us to rejoice in You, make us then joyful with You. We ask You for the Church, for Your mission, that Your word may reach every heart. We ask you for our country, for the world's peace, and that Your Kingdom may come everywhere

# Trayer by Tope Shenouda (For the new year)

Let it be a fruitful year, full of goodness, everyday and every hour has its own work. Do not allow a futile moment. Fill our life with activity, work, and production. Grant us the blessing of a productive and holy toil. Let the communion of the Holy Spirit be with us in all our deeds, O Lord. We thank you, our God, for you have kept us till this hour and granted us this year, that we may bless You. Amen.

## Silent personal prayers