

Venerable Melania the Younger of Rome (439 A.D.)

Troparion

Serbian Chant
arr. P. Drobac

Tone 8

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The im - age of God was tru - ly pre - served in you, O

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Moth - er, for you took up the Cross and fol - lowed

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Christ. By so do - ing you taught us to dis - re - gard the flesh

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for it pass - es a - way, but to care in - stead for the soul, since

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it is im - mor - tal. There - fore your spir - it, ven' - ra - ble

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Mel - a - ni - a, re - joic - es with the an - - - gels.

* Her commemoration is transferred to December 30 due to the Leavetaking of the Nativity of Christ on December 31.