

- By the rivers of Babylon there we sat down and there we wept
 When we re•membered Zi•on.
 On the wil•lows there
 We hung up our harps. R
- ℣ For there our cap tors
 (*) Asked us for songs,
 And our tormentors asked for mirth, say ing,
 "Sing us one of the songs of Zi on!" ℟
- *How could* we sing the Lord's song In a foreign land?
 If I forget you, O Je·ru·salem, Let my right hand wi·ther! R
- *Let my* tongue cling to the roof of my mouth, If I do not remem ber you,
 If I do not set Je ru salem
 Above my highest joy. R

(*): omit the reciting tone

Si iniquitates (Antihpon 4, Vespers of the Depaerted)

