Kontakion
Holy Great Martyr George

Plagal of the 4th Tone (Tone 8)
Melody "To Thee, the Champion Leader"

Byzantine Chant

Having recourse to thine excellent and speedy aid,

O athlete of Christ, we the faithful,

pray that they that hymn thee may be delivered

from the snares of the enemy

and from all tribulations and afflictions, that we

may cry: Rejoice, O martyr George.

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