

# O, My People

## the Reproaches

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**Response:** *First time - Cantor; second time - All. An SATB version is available at the end*

Voice

My— peo - ple, what have I done to you? Or how have I— grieved you?—

Keyboard

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**Verse:** *Cantor or Unison Choir*

— Ans - wer me. Be-cause I led you out of the land of Eg - ypt, you have pre  
(tonus peregrinus)

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Ho - ly is God,  
pared a Cross for your Sav - iour. Ha - gi - os O The - os. Ha - gi - os is -

In the response Hagios O Theos you can choose to sing either the Greek, the English or both (the missal says 'both').

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Ho-ly and strong. Ho-ly and im-mor - tal one have mer-cy on us. —  
 chy - ros. Ha - gi-os a - than-a tos - e - lei son hy - mas.

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Be-cause I let you out through the de-sert for-ty years, and fed you with

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man-na, and brought you in-to a land of plen-ty, you have pre-pared a cross for your Sav-iour.

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Ho-ly is God, Ho-ly and strong

Ha - gi-os O The - os. Ha - gi-os is - chy - ros. Ha - gi-os a -

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Ho-ly and im-mor - tal one have mer-cy on us.

than-a - tos e - lei-son hy - mas. What more should I have

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done for you, and have not done? In-deed, I plan-ted you as my most beau-ti-ful cho-sen vine, and you have

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turned ve-ry bit-ter for me. In my thirst, you gave me vin-e-garto drink and with a

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lance you pierced your Sav-iour's side. Ho-ly is God,  
 Ha - gi-os O The - os. Ha - gi-os is-

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Ho-ly and strong. Ho-ly and im - mor - tal one have mer-cy on us.  
 chy - ros. Ha - gi-os a - than-a- tos e - lei son hy - mas.

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I scourged E gypt for your sake, with its first-born sons

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and you scourged me, and hand-ed me o - ver. My peo - ple,

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what have I done to you? Or how have I grieved you? Ans - wer me.

Other verses from the Missal can be added, each followed by 'My People...' either in unison or harmony

**Alternative 4 voice version of response (use accompaniment as above):**

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how have I grieved you? Ans - wer me.