

Venerable Anthony of the Kiev Caves (1073A.D.)

Kontakion

Serbian Chant
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Tone 8

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Hav - ing loved_ God a - bove_ all_ from your child -

hood, O ven - 'ra - ble one, you sur - ren - dered your - self to

Him and_ fol - lowed Him with all_ your_ soul, and de -

spis - ing the ma - te - ri - al things_ of this_ world,

you made a cave_ in the earth, where you fought the good_

fight a - gainst_ the in - vis - i - ble en - e - my. Like a

bril - liant_ sun_ you il - lu - mined all the ends of the

earth, and_ with re - joic - ing you passed in - to the heav -

en - ly cham - bers. Now_ as you stand_ with the

an - gels be - fore the throne of the Mas - ter,

re - mem - ber us who hon - our your mem - o - ry

as we cry to you: "Re - joice, — O our Fa - ther An - tho -

ny!"