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Remember those earlier days after you had received the light, when you endured in a great conflict full of suffering.

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Apollodoros (4th cent BC)

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