

"We saw him in the garden, the pleasant garden,
With his companions, and his children,
the children he loved."

The second singers answered :

"Alas ! no more shall we see him
In the garden, the pleasant garden,
With his companions, and his children,
the children he loved."

Chorus of all the women, singing softly :

"His children and his servants blessed him !
His home was the shelter of happiness !
Peace be unto him !"

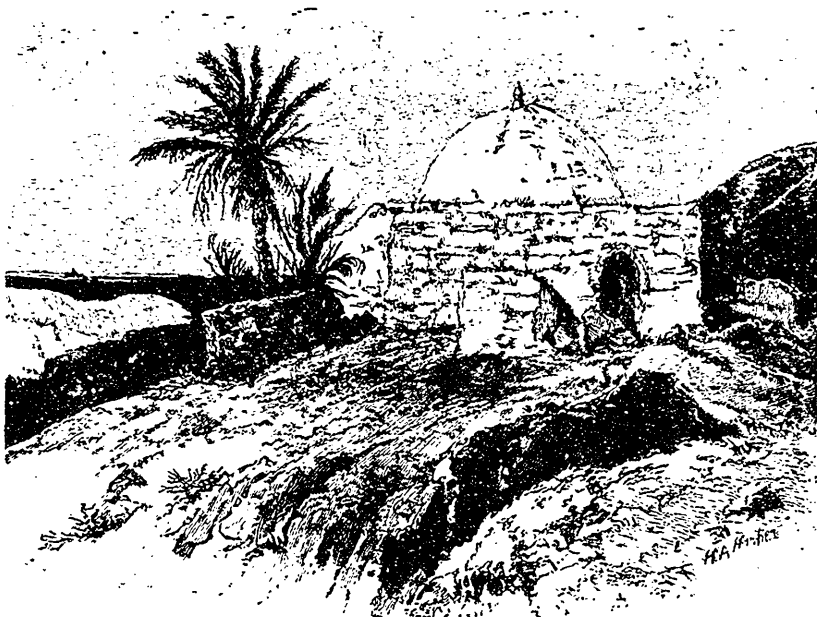
First singers :

"We saw him give help and succour to the aged,
And good counsel to the young."

Second singers :

"Alas ! no more shall we see him
Give help and succour to the aged,
And good counsel to the young."

Chorus of all the women, singing softly :



SHEIK'S TOMB AT NAZARETH—"A WHITED SEPULCHRE."

First singers—loudly and with animation, (in recognition of the primeval standard of character exhibited in hospitality) :

"We saw him giving food to the hungry.
And clothing to the naked."

Second singers—softly and plaintively :

"Alas ! no more shall we see him
Give food to the hungry,
And garments to the naked !"

"He suffered not the stranger to sleep in the streets :
He opened the door to the wayfarer.
Peace be unto him !"

After this they started to their feet, and shrieked as loudly as they could, making a rattling noise in their throats, for three or four minutes. The widow kneeled, swaying her body backward and forward, and feebly joined in the wild cry.