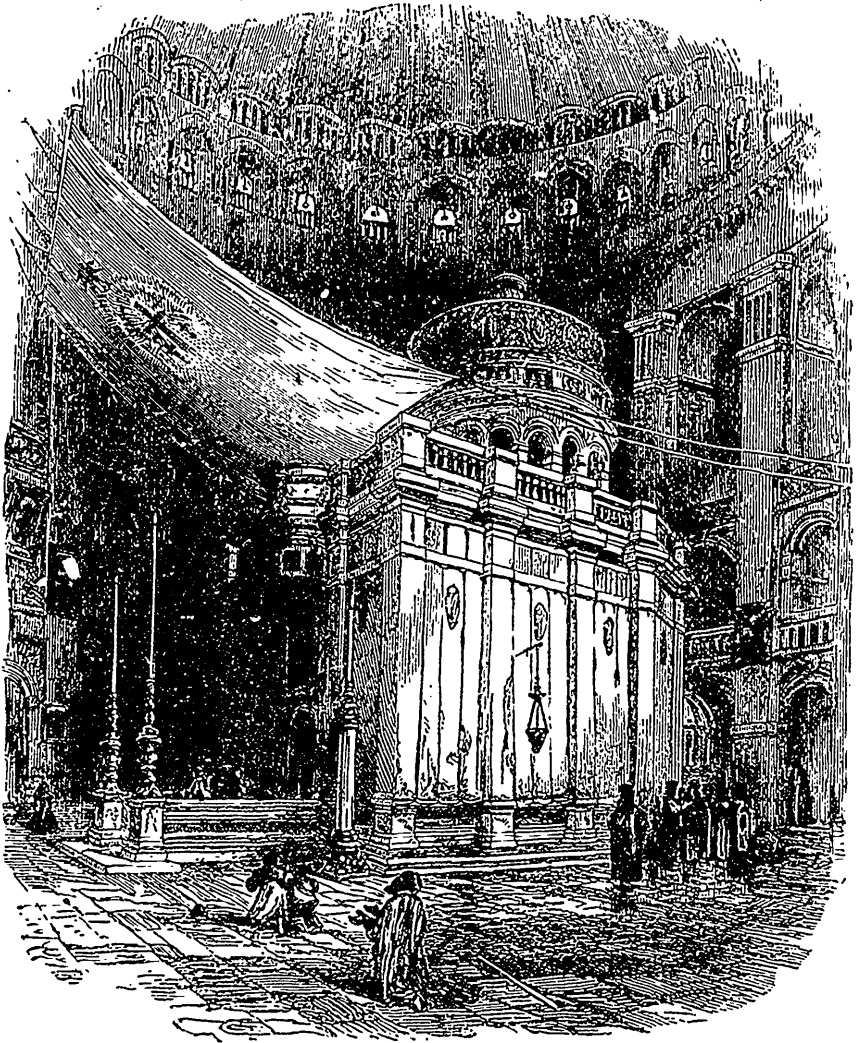


to the sale of articles used by the pilgrims, and the open court upon which the *façade* of the building looks was lined with vendors of rosaries, incense, pictures, crucifixes, and a variety of



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other souvenirs, squatting on the pavement with their wares beside them.

Entering the portal, we saw to the left of the vestibule a large square niche where the Turkish soldiers were on guard, and im-