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*O Vate nostro, in pravi  
Secoli nato, eppur create hai queste  
Sublimi età, che profetando andavi.*

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