

Angelus ad virginem

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STROPHE 1 - Sops (with harp, don't panic!)

Ga - bri-el fram e - vene-king sent to the mai-de swe - te, brou - te hire blis -

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ful ti-ding and faire hegan hire gre - ten: "Heil be thu ful of grace a - rith, for

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Go-des sone, this eve - ne lith, for man - nes loven wile man bi-comen and ta - ken fles

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of the, mai-den brith, ma[n]-ken fre for to ma - ken of senne and dev-les mith."

STROPHE 2 - Sops and Altos

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Mil - de - li - che im gan and - swe - ren the mil - de mai - den than - ne:

Mil - de - li - che im gan and - swe - ren the mil - de mai - den than - ne:

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"Whi-che-wi - se sold ichs be - ren child with hu - ten man - ne?" Than - gle sei -

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de: "Ne dred te nout, thurw tho-li - gast sal ben i-wrout this

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il - che thing, war - of ti-ding ichs brin - ge, al man - ken wrth i -

il - che thing, war - of ti-ding ichs bring - ge, al man - ken wrth i -

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bout thur thi swe - te chil-tin - ge and hut of pi - ne i-brouT."

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STROPHE 3 - Tutti with men at octave

44

Wan the mai - den un - der - stud and than - gles wor - des her - de,

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48

mil - de - liche with mil - de mud to than - gle hie and - swer - de: "Hur Lor - des

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theu - mai - den i - wis Ics am, that her a - bo - ven is, a -

theu - mai - den i - wis Ics am, that her a - bo - ven is, a -

57

nent - tis me ful - fur - thed be thi sa - we that Ics, si - then his wil

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61

is, mai - den with hu - ten la - we of mo - der have the blis."

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4 STROPHE 4 - Sops, Altos with Tenors, Basses

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Than - gle wente a - wei mid than al hut of hi - re sith - te,

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hi - re wombe a - ri - se gan thurw tho - li - gas - tes mi - the,

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74

in hire was Crist bi - lo - ken a - non, suth

in hire was Crist bi - lo - ken a non, suth

in hire was Crist bi - lo - ken a - non suth

77

God, soth man ine fles and bon, and of hir fleas i - bo - ren

God, soth man ine fles and bon, and of hir fleas i - bo - ren

God, soth man ine fles and bon, and of hir fleas i - bo - ren

81

was at ti - me, war thurw us kam god won, he bout us

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hut of pi - ne, and let im for us slon.

hut of pi - ne, and let im for us slon.

hut of pi - ne, and let im for us slon.