

Jesu, Word of God Incarnate (Ave verum corpus)

Charles Gounod (1818-93)

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Soprano Alto Tenor Bass Accomp.

A - ve ve - rum
p Je - su, Word of

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S A T B Accomp.

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Soprano (S) vocal line:

la - tus per - fo- ra - tum flu - xit un - da et san - gui- ne;
in the sac - red foun-tain, O-pened in Thy pierc- ed side;

Alto (A) vocal line:

la - tus per - fo - ra - tum flu - xit un - da et san- gui - ne;
in the sac - red foun-tain, O-pened in Thy pierc- ed side;

Tenor (T) vocal line:

8 la - tus per - fo - ra - tum flu - xit un - da et san- gui - ne;
in the sac - red foun-tain, O-pened in Thy pierc- ed side;

Bass (B) vocal line:

la - tus per - fo- ra - tum flu - xit un - da et san - gui - ne;
in the sac - red foun-tain, O-pened in Thy pierc - ed side;

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S E - sto no - bis prea - gu - sta-tum, Mor-tis in ex a - mi - ne.
p Feed us with Thy bo - dy bro-ken, *cresc. molto* Bro-ken in death's ag - on - y.

A E - sto no - bis prea - gu - sta-tum, Mor-tis in ex a - mi - ne.
p Feed us with Thy bo - dy bro-ken, Bro-ken in death's ag - on - y.

T 8 E - sto no - bis prea - gu - sta-tum, Mor-tis in ex a - mi - ne.
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B E - sto no - bis prea - gu - sta-tum, Mor-tis in ex a - mi - ne. O
 Feed us with Thy bo - dy bro-ken, Bro-ken in death's ag - on - y. O

p *cresc. molto* *f* *p*

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S O Je-su dul-cis, O Je-su Pi - e, Je - su, fi - li Ma - ri - ae, In
p *cresc.* *f* *p*

O Je-su, hear us; O Je-su. save us; Je - su, Sa-viour, hear our sup-pli - ca-tion, O

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p *f* *p*

S

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no - bis mi - se - re - re, In no - bis mi - se - re - re, O Je - su, In no - bis mi - se -
grant us, Lord, Thy mer-cy, O grant us, Lord, Thy mer-cy, O grant_ us, O grant us, Lord, Thy

A

no - bis mi - se - re - re, In no - bis mi - se - re - re, O Je - su, In no - bis mi - se -
grant us, Lord, Thy mer-cy, O grant us, Lord, Thy mer-cy, O grant_ us, O grant us, Lord, Thy

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no - bis mi - se - re - re, In no - bis mi - se - re - re, O Je - su, In no - bis mi - se -
grant us, Lord, Thy mer-cy, O grant us, Lord, Thy mer-cy, O grant_ us, O grant us, Lord, Thy

cresc.

ff

cresc.

ff

cresc.

ff

S

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dim. re - re. A - men! A - men! A - men! **pp** A - men!

mer - cy.

A

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mer - cy.

T

8 dim. re - re. A - men! A - men! A - men! **pp** A - men!

mer - cy.

B

dim. re - re. A - men! A - men! **pp** A - men! A - men!

mer - cy.

dim.

pp