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Ave maris stella

Praeludium et Diminutiones

für Orgel und dreistimmigen Frauenchor



Ave maris stella, Dei Mater alma, Atque semper Virgo, Felix caeli porta.	Meerstern, ich Dich grüsse, Mutter Gottes süsse, allzeit Jungfrau reine, Himmelsport alleine.	Salut, étoile de la mer, vénéralbe Mère de Dieu et Vierge à jamais, bienheureuse porte du ciel.
Sumens illud ave Gabrielis ore, Funda nos in pace Mutans Evae nomen.	AVE klang die Kunde aus des Engels Munde, und den Frieden schenke, EVAs Namen wende.	En agréant cet "AVE" des lèvres de Gabriel, établis-nous dans la paix en retournant le nom d'EVA.
Solve vincla reis, Profer lumen caecis, Mala nostra pelle, Bona cuncta posce.	Lös das Band der Sünden, spende Licht den Blinden, allem Bösen wehre, alles Gut begehre.	Brise les chaînes des condamnés, apporte la lumière aux aveugles, écarte-nous du malheur et suscite en nous le Bien.
Monstra te esse matrem: Sumat per te preces, Qui pro nobis natus, Tulit esse tuus.	Dich als Mutter zeige, dass durch Dich sich neige unserm Flehn auf Erden, der Dein Sohn wollt werden.	Montre que tu es Mère : qu'Il accueille par toi nos prières, Celui qui, né pour nous, a daigné être ton Fils.
Virgo singularis, Inter omnes mitis, Nos culpiss solutos Mites fac et castos.	Jungfrau auserkoren, mild, und rein geboren, uns von Schuld befreie, Keuschheit uns verleihe.	Vierge sans égale, douce entre toutes, obtiens-nous le pardon, rends-nous doux et chastes.
Vitam praesta puram, Iter para tutum, Ut videntes Jesum Semper collaetemur.	Gib ein reines Leben, mach den Weg uns eben, dass in Himmelshöhen froh wir Jesum sehen.	Donne-nous une vie pure et prépare un chemin sûr, que la vue de Jésus nous réjouisse à jamais.
Sit laus Deo Patri, Summo Christo decus, Spiritui Sancto, Tribus honor unus.	Ehre sei Gott dem Vater, Ehre sei Christus und dem Heiligen Geist, dreifach Ehre in Einem.	Louange à Dieu le Père, gloire au Christ Très-Haut comme au Saint-Esprit, à tous Trois le même honneur.
Amen.	Amen.	Amen.

So alt wie die Musik ist auch die Kunst der *Diminution*. Diese Entwicklungstechnik eines musikalischen Motivs wurde sowohl in der Verzierungslehre als auch in der Notationskunde und der Lehre der Fuge angewendet: melismatische Bereicherung, rythmisches Variieren, Zerspaltung des Themas, Taktwechsel, Kanon, Spiegelung, Krebsgang, Färbung der Melodie durch fremde Noten (Chroma)... Die unendliche Vielfalt dieser Kompositionstechnik wurde schlussendlich in der Form der klassischen und romantischen *Variation* kanalisiert. Das Praeludium und die 7 Strophen dieses "*Ave maris stella*" beziehen sich auf die Kunst des *diminuerens* aus dem Mittelalter und der Renaissance. Die Orgelstimme beinhaltet Vorschläge für die Registrierung. Im lateinischen Text sind die Betonungen der römischen Aussprache eingetragen.

L'art de la *Diminution* remonte aux origines de la musique. Cette technique permettant le développement d'un motif musical se manifeste aussi bien dans l'ornementation que dans la notation des rythmes ou dans le contrepoint fugué. Enrichissements mélismatiques, variations rythmiques, fragmentations du thème, changements de mesure, canons, miroirs, inversions, intrusions de notes étrangères (chroma) qui colorent la mélodie, c'est une palette infinie de ressources qui seront finalement canalisées dans la *Variation* classique et romantique. C'est dans l'esprit des *Diminutions* du Moyen-Age et de la Renaissance que sont composés le Prélude et les 7 strophes de cet "*Ave maris stella*". Une suggestion de registration est apportée à la partie d'orgue. Le texte latin est pourvu des accents toniques de la prononciation romaine.

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dem St.Galler Domorganist Willibald Guggenmos gewidmet

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Praeludium

Liberamente $\text{♩} = 80$

Organo

pp *sempre staccatissimo*

Subbass 16' *ppp*

8 Doppio più lento $\text{♩} = 80$

Tempo primo $\text{♩} = 80$

Doppio più lento

Streicher 8' *ppp*

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2' + H.Z. *pp*

ppp

18 T° primo

Str. 8'

Doppio più lento

T° primo

ppp

24

Con rigore

$\text{♩} = 80$

2' + H.Z. *pp*

pp *sempre staccatissimo*

4' + 1'

32

Doppio più lento

Str. 8'

ppp

Str. 8'

38 **T° primo** $2' + \text{H.Z.}$

$4' + 1'$ *pp*

pp *sempre staccatissimo*

Streicher 8'

ppp

43

Streicher 8'

ppp

$4' + 1'$ *pp*

48 $2' + \text{H.Z.}$

pp

Streicher 8'

ppp

$4' + 1'$ *pp*

55 **B** **Lontano**
♩. = 60

pp

A-ve má-ris stélla, Dé-i Má-ter

63 *poco ritenuto*

ál - ma, Atque semper Virgo, Fé-lix caé-li pór-ta.

70 **C** **Andante** ♩ = 80
 2' + Hohe Zimbel
p
 Streicher 4'
pp
 Bourdon 8'
p alle Vorschlagsnoten sind vor dem Schlag zu spielen / jouer toutes les appoggiatures avant le temps

76 leiser 8' 2' + H.Z.
p
 leiser 8'
p
 Streicher 4'
pp

82

88 **Dolce**
 Voix céleste 8'
ppp
 V.cél. 8'
p
 attacca

D **Meno mosso** ♩ = 52
mp A - ve má - ris stél - la, Dé - i Má - ter ál - ma,
 A - ve má - ris stél - la, Dé - i Má - ter ál - ma,

103
 At - que sem - per Vír - go, Fé - lix caé - li pór - ta.
 At - que sem - per Vír - go, Fé - lix caé - li pór - ta.
 attacca

6 Diminutiones

Andante come prima

♩ = 80

108

String staves (Violin I, Violin II, Viola) are shown with rests. The piano part consists of three staves: the top staff is the right hand with a box 'E' above it, the middle staff is the left hand with 'Quintaton 8' below it, and the bottom staff is the left hand with '8' + 4' below it. The piano part begins with a *p* dynamic marking.

111

String staves (Violin I, Violin II, Viola) are shown with rests. The piano part consists of three staves: the top staff is the right hand, the middle staff is the left hand, and the bottom staff is the left hand. The piano part continues with complex rhythmic patterns.

115

String staves (Violin I, Violin II, Viola) are shown with rests. The piano part consists of three staves: the top staff is the right hand, the middle staff is the left hand, and the bottom staff is the left hand. The piano part concludes with a final cadence. The word *attacca* is written at the bottom right.

1. Ave maris stella

119

mf A - ve má - ris stél - la,
mf A - ve má - ris stél - la,
mf A - ve má - ris stél - la,
mf 2' + 1'
mf 8' + 4'

122

Dé - i Má - ter ál - ma, , At - que sem - per
 Dé - i Má - ter ál - ma, , At - que sem - per
 Dé - i Má - ter ál - ma, , At - que sem - per

126

Poco meno mosso ♩ = 60
 Vír - go, Fé - lix caé - li pór - ta.
 Vír - go, Fé - lix caé - li pór - ta.
 Vír - go, Fé - lix caé - li pór - ta.
attacca

2. Sumens illud AVE

130

Allegretto giocoso

♩ = 80

mp Sú - mens il - lud A - -
 mp A - ve, A - ve, A - ve,
 mp Sú - mens il - lud A - -

G Flöten 8' + 4'
 mp *leggiero*
 Flöten 8' + 4'
 Bourdon 8'
 + Prinzipale 8'
 mp *mf leggiero*

136

ve *mf* Ga - bri - é - lis
 A - ve, A - ve *mf* Ga - bri - é - lis
 ve *mf* Ga - bri - é - lis

+ 8'
mf + 8'
 Bourdon 8'
 + 8'

140

ó - re, *f* Fún - da nos in pá - - -
 ó - re, *f* Fún - da nos in pá - - -
 ó - re, *f* Fún - da nos in pá - - -

+ 2' *f* + 2' *f* + 2' *f*
 + 4' *f*

143

ce *ff* Mú - tans Hé - vae nó - men.

ce *ff* Mú - tans Hé - vae nó - men.

ce *ff* Mú - tans Hé - vae nó - men.

+ Mix.

+ Mix.

attaca

146

3. Solve vincla reis

H Allegro con fuoco ♩. = 80

poco a poco crescendo *mp*

8' + 4'

8' + 4' *8' + 2'*

mp

156

mf Sól - ve vín - cla ré - is, Pró - fer lú - men caé - cis:

(b)

164

Má - la nós - tra pél - le, Bó - na cún - cta pó - sce. *mf* Sól - ve vín - cla

172

ré - is, Pró - fer lú - men caé - cis: Má - la nós - tra pél - le, Bó - na
mf Sól - ve vín - cla ré - is, Pró - fer lú - men caé - cis: Má - la

mf verstärken

180

f Sól - ve vín - cla ré - is,
cún - cta pó - sce. *f* Sól - ve vín - cla
nós - tra pél - le, Bó - na cún - cta pó - sce. *f* Sól - ve

f verstärken

188

Pró-fer lú-men caé-cis: Má-la nós-tra pél-le, Bó-na cún-cta
 ré-is, Pró-fer lú-men caé-cis: Má-la nós-tra pél-le, Bó-na
 vín-cla ré-is, Pró-fer lú-men caé-cis: Má-la nós-tra pél-le,

196

pó-sce. *ff* Sól-ve vín-cla ré-is, Pró-fer lú-men
 cún-cta pó-sce. *ff* Sól-ve vín-cla ré-is, Pró-fer lú-men
 Bó-na cún-cta pó-sce. *ff* Sól-ve vín-cla ré-is, Pró-fer lú-

204

caé-cis: Má-la nós-tra pél-le, Bó-na cún-cta pó-sce.
 caé-cis: Má-la nós-tra pél-le, Bó-na cún-cta pó-sce.
 men caé-cis: Má-la nós-tra pél-le, Bó-na cún-cta pó-

211 **Furioso** ♩ = 120

211 **Furioso** ♩ = 120

sce.

I

Organo pieno

fff

Detailed description: This system contains measures 211 to 214. It features three vocal staves at the top and three organ staves below. The organ part is marked *fff* and includes a first ending bracket labeled 'I' for measures 211-212. The tempo is **Furioso** with a metronome marking of ♩ = 120.

215

215

Detailed description: This system contains measures 215 to 218. It features three organ staves. The organ part continues with a *fff* dynamic and includes various articulation marks like accents and slurs.

219

219

fff

Detailed description: This system contains measures 219 to 221. It features three organ staves. The organ part continues with a *fff* dynamic and includes various articulation marks like accents and slurs.

222

222

Detailed description: This system contains measures 222 to 224. It features three organ staves. The organ part continues with a *fff* dynamic and includes various articulation marks like accents and slurs.

225

225

Doppio più lento ♩ = 60

Dolce

V.cél. 8'

ppp

16' + 8'

ppp

Detailed description: This system contains measures 225 to 228. It features three organ staves. At measure 225, the tempo changes to **Doppio più lento** (♩ = 60) and the mood is **Dolce**. The organ part is marked *ppp*. There are two celesta parts: V.cél. 8' and V.cél. 8'. The organ part includes a section marked 16' + 8' and ends with a *ppp* dynamic.

233

4. Monstra te esse matrem

p Móns - tra t'és - se

p Móns - tra t'és - se

p Móns - tra t'és - se Má -

K **Molto calmo** ♩ = 36 (♩ = 72)

pp Streicher 8'

pp Subbass 16' + Pk. *pp*

243

Má - trem: Sú - mat per te

Má - trem: Sú - mat per te

- trem: Sú - mat per te

pp

251

pré - ces, *p* Qui pro nó - bis ná -

pré - ces, *p* Qui pro nó - bis ná -

pré - ces, *p* Qui pro nó - bis ná -

pp

283 5. Virgo singularis

Musical score for measures 283-288. The score is in 8/8 time and B-flat major. It features a piano accompaniment with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The tempo is marked 'Allegretto grazioso' with a metronome marking of 120 for a quarter note and 80 for a half note. The dynamics range from *pp* to *p*. The piece includes a 'Réc. 4'' (Recitativo) section and a 'Pos. 8'' (Positivo) section. The piano part consists of a series of chords with moving lines, often with accents and slurs.

Musical score for measures 289-294. This section continues the piano accompaniment from the previous system, maintaining the same tempo and dynamics. The melodic line in the right hand continues with similar chordal textures and rhythmic patterns.

Musical score for measures 295-300. This section includes vocal entries. The vocal line (soprano) enters in measure 295 with the lyrics 'Vir - - go sin - -'. The piano accompaniment continues with a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The dynamics are marked *mp*. The piece concludes with a 'G.O. 8'' (Grande Organo) section. The piano part features a more active melodic line in the right hand.

301

gu - lá - ris, In - ter ó - mnes

sin - - gu - lá - ris, In - - ter ó -

M

mf

307

mí - tis, *mf* Nos cúl - - - pis so -

- - mnes mít - tis, *mf* Nos cúl - - - pis

mf Nos cúl -

mf

16' + 8'

312

- - lú - - - tos,

so - - - lú - - - tos,

- - pis so - - - lú - - - tos,

mp

mp

317

Musical score for measures 317-321. The system includes vocal staves and piano accompaniment. The vocal parts are in a soprano and alto register, with lyrics: "Mi - tes fac" (317), "Mi - tes" (318), and "Mi - tes" (319). The piano accompaniment features a complex texture with multiple voices in the bass register, including a subbass line. Dynamics include *mp* and *N* (Noble). A box labeled 'N' is present in the first piano staff of measure 317.

322

Musical score for measures 322-326. The system includes vocal staves and piano accompaniment. The vocal parts are in a soprano and alto register, with lyrics: "et cas tos." (322), "fac et cas - tos." (323), "tes fac et cas -" (324), and "tos." (325). The piano accompaniment features a complex texture with multiple voices in the bass register, including a subbass line. Dynamics include *mp* and *p*. A label "Subbass 16' + Bourdon 8'" is present in the piano staff of measure 326.

327

Musical score for measures 327-331. The system includes vocal staves and piano accompaniment. The vocal parts are in a soprano and alto register, with lyrics: "tos." (327). The piano accompaniment features a complex texture with multiple voices in the bass register, including a subbass line. Dynamics include *pp*.

6. Vitam praesta puram

334 Lento maestoso ♩. = 40

p Vi-tam praé - sta pú - ram, *mp* I - ter pá - ra tú - tum:
p Vi-tam praé - sta pú - ram, *mp* I - ter pá - ra tú - tum:
p Vi-tam praé - sta pú - ram, *mp* I - ter pá - ra tú - tum:
pp *p* *mp*
 8' 8' 8'
 (Subbass 16' + Bourdon 8') (32' + 16')
p *mp*

mf Ut vi - dén - tes Jé - - - sum
mf Ut vi - dén - tes Jé - - - sum
mf Ut vi - dén - tes Jé - - - sum
mp *mf*
 4' 8'
mf

mp Sem - per col - lae - té -
mp Sem - per col - lae - té -
mp Sem - per col - lae - té -
mp *mf*
 Prinzipale 8'
mp

356

mur.
mur.
mur.

Prinzipale 4' Prinzipale 8'

Prinzipale 4' Prinzipale 8'

poco accelerando

358 **Andante con moto** ♩. = 50

f Vi - tam
f Vi - tam
f Vi - tam

P Bourdon 8' + Prinzipale 4' *f* Vi - tam

mf

Bourdon 8' + Prinzipale 4'

361

praé - sta pú - ram, I - ter pá - ra
praé - sta pú - ram, I - ter pá - ra
praé - sta pú - ram, I - ter pá - ra

f

16' + 8' + 4'
f

tú - tum: Ut vi - dén - tes Jé - - - sum

tú - tum: Ut vi - dén - tes Jé - - - sum

tú - tum: Ut vi - dén - tes Jé - - - sum



7. Sit laus Deo Patri

Allegro molto ritmico

♩. = 100

Sem - per col - lae - té - - - mur.

Sem - per col - lae - té - - - mur.

Sem - per col - lae - té - - - mur.

Cornett 8'

Prinzipale 8' + 4' + 2'

f Sit la-us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

f Sit la-us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

f Sit la-us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

379

Chrí - sto dé - cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

Chrí - sto dé - cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

Chrí - sto dé - cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

385

hó - nor ú - nus. *ff* Sit la - us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

hó - nor ú - nus. *ff* Sit la - us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

R hó - nor ú - nus. *ff* Sit la - us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

8' + 4' + Trompeta

391

Chrí - sto dé - cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

Chrí - sto dé - cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

Chrí - sto dé - cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

hó - nor ú - nus. *fff* Sit la-us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

hó - nor ú - nus. *fff* Sit la-us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

hó - nor ú - nus. *fff* Sit la-us Dé - o Pá - tri, Súm - mo

S

Cornett 8'

16' + 8' + 4'

ff

Chri-sto dé-cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

Chri-sto dé-cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

Chri-sto dé-cus, Spi - rí - tu - i Sán - cto, Trí - bus

hó - nor ú - nus.

Organo pleno

fff

415

Musical score for measures 415-420. The score includes a piano introduction with a 'Tutti' section marked *ffff*. The piano part includes a 'Voix céleste 8' (1 Manual) section.

421

Musical score for measures 421-430. It features a 'Tutti' section marked **T** *Adagio* $\text{♩} = 40$. The piano part includes a 'Bourdon 8' section marked *pp*. The vocal part includes a 'lunga' section.

430

Musical score for measures 430-439. It features a vocal part with the lyrics "men, A - - - men." and a piano accompaniment.