

Sancta Maria

John Dunstable (c.1390-1453)

Alto

Counter tenor

Tenor

San - - - - - cta Ma - ri -

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Detailed description: This block contains the first system of the musical score. It features three vocal parts: Alto, Counter tenor, and Tenor. Each part is written on a five-line staff with a treble clef and a common time signature (C). The Alto part begins with a fermata over the first measure, followed by a series of eighth and quarter notes. The Counter tenor part starts with a half note, followed by quarter notes. The Tenor part begins with a half note, followed by quarter notes. The lyrics are distributed across the staves, with hyphens indicating syllables that span multiple notes.

9

- - - - - a non est ti - bi si - mi - lis

ri - - - - a non est ti - bi si -

- - - - - a non est ti - bi si -

Detailed description: This block contains the second system of the musical score, starting at measure 9. It continues the three vocal parts from the first system. The Alto part has a fermata over the first measure of this system. The lyrics are: '- - - - - a non est ti - bi si - mi - lis' for the Alto, 'ri - - - - a non est ti - bi si -' for the Counter tenor, and '- - - - - a non est ti - bi si -' for the Tenor.

18

or - ta in mun - - - do, in mu - li - e - -

- mi - lis, or - ta in mun - do in

- mi - lis in mu - li -

Detailed description: This block contains the third system of the musical score, starting at measure 18. It continues the three vocal parts. The lyrics are: 'or - ta in mun - - - do, in mu - li - e - -' for the Alto, '- mi - lis, or - ta in mun - do in' for the Counter tenor, and '- mi - lis in mu - li -' for the Tenor.

28

ri - bus. Flo - rens ut ro -
mu - li - e - ri - bus. Flo - rens ut ro -
e - ri - bus. Flo - rens ut ro - sa.

36

sa fra - grans sic - ut li -
sa, fra - grans sic - ut li -

44

li - um o - ra pro no - bis san - cta De -
li - um, o - ra pro no - bis, san - cta De -
o - ra pro no - bis, san - cta

53

i ge - ni - trix.
i ge - ni - trix.
De - i ge - ni - trix.