
AVE VERUM CORPUS

Words

Attributed to Pope Innocent VI

Music

Charles Camille Saint-Saëns

SATB and Accompaniment

Cantate Domino
EDITION

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Ave verum corpus

Jesu Word of God Incarnate. / Jesu, Lamb of God Redeemer.

(Only one version should be sung at any one time).

Charles Camille Saint-Saëns

Moderate

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Rehearsal

p

A - ve ve - rum cor - pus na - tum de Ma -
Je - su, Word of God in - car - nate, of the
Je - su, Lamb of God, Re - deem - er, born the

6

S

A

T

B

ri - a Vir - gi - ne; Ve - re pas - sum, im - mo -
Vir - gin Ma - ry born, on the cross thy sa - cred
Vir - gin Ma - ry's Son, who u - pon the cross a

12

S
la - tum in cru - ce pro ho - mi - ne:
bo - dy for us men with nails was torn.
vic - tim hast man's sal - va - tion won,

A
la - tum in cru - ce pro ho - mi - ne:
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S
Cu - jus la - tus per - fo - ra - tum *f* un - da flu - xit
Cleanse us, by the blood and wa - ter stream - ing from thy
From whose side, which man had pierc - ed, flowed the wa - ter

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cum san - gui - ne: *p* Es - to no - bis prae - gu sta - tum
pierc - ed side; Feed us with thy bo - dy bro - ken,
and the blood: By thy sa - cred bo - dy bro - ken

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S
in mor - tis ex - a - mi - ne: Es - to no - bis
Now, and in death's a - go - ny! Feed us with thy
in death and in life be our food: By thy sa - cred

A
in mor - tis ex - a - mi - ne: Es - to no - bis
Now, and in death's a - go - ny! Feed us with thy
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in mor - tis ex - a - mi - ne: Es - to no - bis
Now, and in death's a - go - ny! Feed us with thy
in death and in life be our food: By thy sa - cred

S
 prae - gu - sta - tum *f* in mor - tis, mor -
 bo - dy - bro - ken, Now, and in -
 bo - dy - bro - ken in death, in death

A
 prae - gu - sta - tum *f* in mor - tis and
 bo - dy - bro - ken, Now, and
 bo - dy - bro - ken in death and

T
 prae - gu - sta - tum *f* in mor - tis, mor -
 bo - dy - bro - ken, Now, and in -
 bo - dy - bro - ken in death, in death

B
 prae - gu - sta - tum *f* in mor - tis ex -
 bo - dy - bro - ken, - Now, and in in
 bo - dy - bro - ken in death and in

S
 tis ex a - mi - ne. *pp* A - men.
 death's a - go - ny. A - men.
 and in life be our food. A - men.

A
 ex a - mi - ne. *pp* A - men.
 in death's a - go - ny. A - men.
 in life our food. A - men.

T
 tis ex a - mi - ne. *pp* A - men.
 death's a - go - ny. A - men.
 and in life be our food. A - men.

B
 a - mi - ne. *pp* A - men.
 death's a go - ny. A - men.
 life our - food. A - men.