

Lieber Gott

Dear God

for 2-part S.A. and/or T.B. Chorus and Piano*

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Vivace grazioso

ST

AB

Piano

p *leggiero*

S.A. only, first verse
T.B. only, second verse

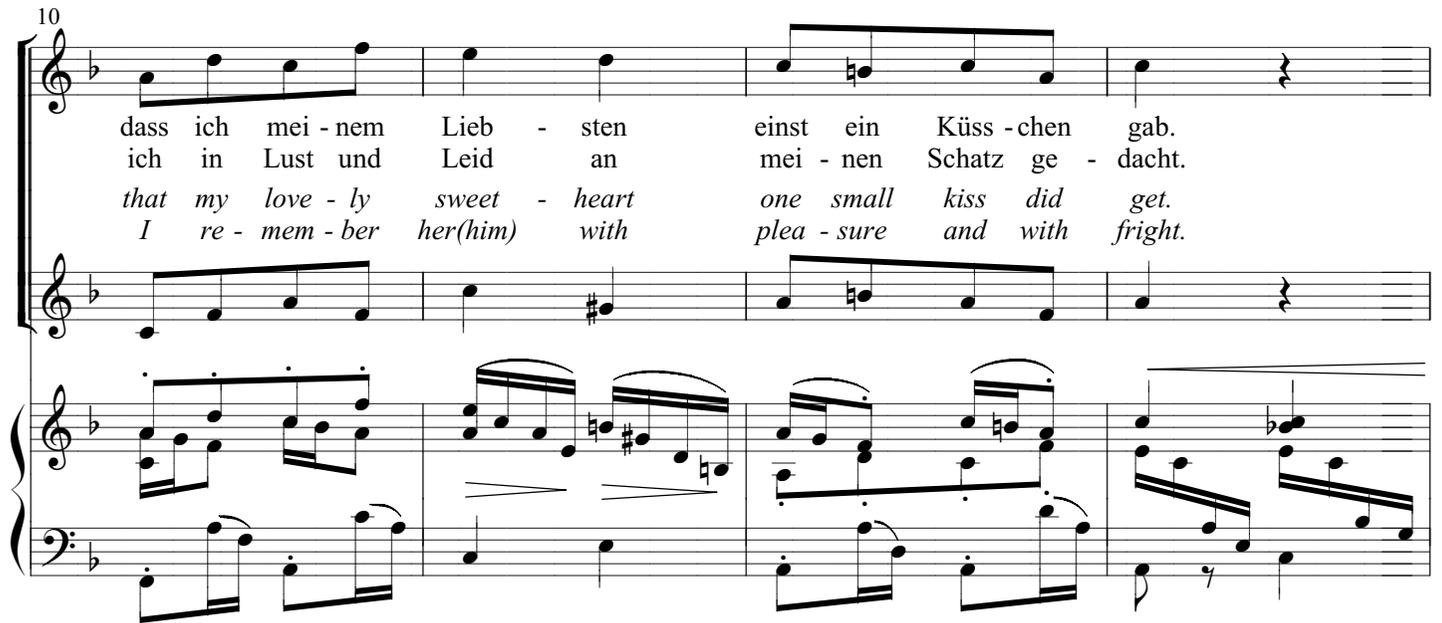
6 *unis. p*

Lie - ber Gott, du weisst, wie oft be - reut ich hab,
Lie - ber Gott, du weisst, wie oft in stil - ler Nacht
Oh! Dear God you know how oft' I do re - gret
Oh! Dear God you know how in the si - lent night

p leggiero

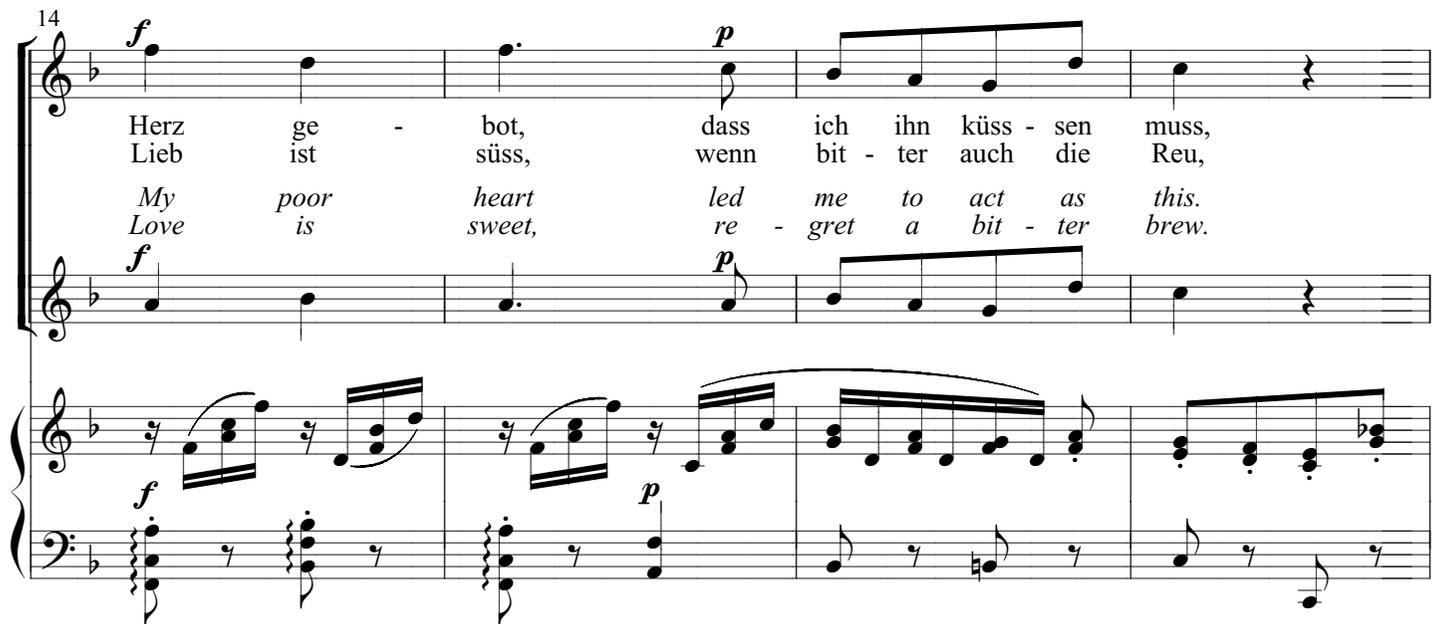
* Tenors and basses will sing their parts in their own octave range (8vb).

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dass ich mei-nem Lieb-sten einst ein Küss-chen gab.
 ich in Lust und Leid an mei-nen Schatz ge-dacht.
that my love-ly sweet-heart one small kiss did get.
I re-mem-ber her(him) with plea-sure and with fright.

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f Herz ge-ist-bot, *p* dass ich ihn küss-sen muss,
 Lieb ist süß, wenn bit-ter auch die Reu,
My poor heart led me to act as this.
Love is sweet, re-gret a bit-ter brew.

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f denk so lang ich leb an die - sen er - sten Küss.
p ar - mes Her - ze bleibt ihm e - wig, e - wig treu.
I shall ne'er for - get a - bout that first small kiss.
Still my heart re - mains as al - ways, al - ways true.

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f Herz ge - bot, dass ich ihn küs - sen muss, denk so lang ich
p Lieb ist süss, wenn bit - ter auch die Reu, ar - mes Her - ze
f *My poor heart led me to act as this. I shall ne'er for -*
Love is sweet, re - gret a bit - ter brew. Still my heart re -

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 bleibt ihm e - wig, e - wig treu.
get a - bout that first small kiss.
mains as al - ways, al - ways true.

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