

Pange lingua

Canone per coro a 2

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Pange, lingua, gloriósi
Cóporis mýstérium,
Sanguinísque pretiósí,
Quem in mundi prétíum
Fructus ventris generósí
Rex effúdit géntium.
(Thomas Aquinas)

[Tell, tongue, the mystery
of the glorious Body
and of the precious Blood,
which, for the price of the world,
the fruit of a noble Womb,
the King of the Nations poured forth.]

The musical score consists of five systems of music, each starting with a different measure number (4, 10, 21, 31, 41). Each system contains two staves, one for each voice part. The music is written in common time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are in Latin and are repeated in each system. Measure numbers 10, 21, and 41 include lyrics in English in brackets.

Measure 4:

Pan-ge lin - - gua glo-ri - o - si, cor-po-ri-s my - ste - ri - um, sangu - nis-que, san -

Measure 10:

- - gui - nis - que pre - ti - o - si, san -

Measure 21:

- - gui - nis - que pre - ti - o - si, quem in mun - di pre - ti - um,

Measure 31:

fruc-tus ven - - tris ge-ne - ro - si, fruc-tus ven -

Measure 41:

um, fruc-tus ven - - tris ge-ne - ro - si, rex ef - fu - dit gen - ti - um, gen - ti - um.