

Rerum Deus tenax vigor

per coro SATB e bordone

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Rerum, Deus, tenax vigor,
immotus in te permanens,
lucis diurnæ tempora
successibus determinans,
Largire lumen vespere,
quo vita numquam decidat,
sed præmium mortis sacræ
perennis instet gloria.
(S. Ambrogio)

Andante calmo

The musical score consists of five staves. The top four staves represent the vocal parts: Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B). The fifth staff is for the continuo instrument, labeled 'BORDONE'. The key signature is one flat, and the time signature is common time. The vocal parts enter at measure 8, singing the Latin text 'Re-rum Deus tenax vi-gor,' in a three-part setting (T, A, S). The bass part begins at measure 8 with a sustained note. The continuo part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and bassoon entries.

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The continuation of the musical score starts at measure 8. The vocal parts (T, A, S) sing 'te - nax vi - gor,' followed by a repeat of the phrase. The bass part continues its sustained notes. The continuo part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and bassoon entries.

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motus in te per - manens, lu - cis di - ur - næ
im - motus in te per-ma-nens, lu - cis di - ur - næ
im - motus in te per - ma - nens, lu - cis di -
vi - gor, im - motus in te per - ma - nens,

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tem-po - ra, suc - ces - si - bus de - ter - mi - nans, lar -
tem-po - ra, suc - ces - si - bus de - ter - mi - nans,
ur - næ tem-po - ra, suc - ces - si - bus de - ter - mi -
lu - cis di - ur - næ tem-po - ra, suc - ces - si - bus de - ter - mi -

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gi - re lu-men ve - spe - re, ve - spe - re,
lar - gi - re lu-men ve - spe - re, ve - spe - re,
nans, lar - gi - re lu-men ve - spe - re,

quo vi - ta num-quam de - ci - dat,
 quo vi - ta num-quam de - ci - dat,
 ve - spe - re, quo vi - ta num-quam de -
 ve - spe - re, quo vi - ta num-quam
 ve - spe - re, quo vi - ta num-quam

sed præ-mi - um mor - tis sa - cræ,
 sed præ-mi - um mor - tis sa - cræ,
 - ci - dat, sed præ-mi - um mor - tis sa -
 de - ci - dat, sed præ-mi - um mor - tis sa -

p pe - ren - nis pe - ren - nis in - stet glo - ri - a!
p pe - ren - nis pe - ren - nis in - stet glo - ri - a!
p cræ. pe - ren - nis in - stet glo - ri - a!
p cræ. pe - ren - nis in - stet glo - ri - a!